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FORM OF A PAROCHIAL REPORT.

..... Church, Parish, County	
Rev. Rector, Post Office,			
..... Treasurer, Post Office,			
BAPTISMS: {	Adults white.....	Colored.....	Total.....	} Aggregate.....	
	Infants white.....	Colored.....	Total.....		
CONFIRMATIONS:—White.....		Colored.....	Total.....		
(COMMUNICANTS:)					
Formerly reported white.....	Colored.....	Total.....	} Aggregate.....		
Added white..... (of which by transfer.....)	Colored.....	Total.....			
Removed.....	Withdrawn.....	Suspended.....	Died.....	Total.....	
		Present number.....			
MARRIAGES:—White.....		Colored.....	Total.....		
FUNERALS: —White.....		Colored.....	Total.....		
SUNDAY SCHOOLS:—{	White: Teachers.....	Scholars.....	Total.....		
	Colored: Teachers.....	Scholars.....	Total.....		
	Contributions.....				
Number of Catechisings.....		Number of Scholars Confirmed.....			
PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS:—Number of paid teachers		Scholars			
Members of the Brotherhood.....					
Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew.....					
Members of Woman's Auxiliary.....					
CONTRIBUTIONS:					
Parochial—					
Regular expenses, including salary.....				\$.....	
Other objects, including incidental expenses.....				\$.....	
Diocesan—					
1. Diocesan Missionary Society (including \$— from mite-boxes).....				\$.....	
2. Diocesan Education Society,				\$.....	
3. Widows' and Orphans' Fund.....				\$.....	
4. Disabled Clergy.....				\$.....	
5. Brotherhood				\$.....	
6. P. E. Church Home,				\$.....	
7. Contingent Fund paid last year.....				\$.....	
8. Other objects in connection with Diocese.....				\$.....	
General Missions—					
Foreign Missions.....				\$.....	
Domestic Missions.....				\$.....	
Virginia Bible Society.....				\$.....	
Other general objects.....				\$.....	

Form of Certificate of Appointment of Lay Delegate to the Council.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That at a meeting of the Vestry of in County, held on the day of, 18....., the following named communicants of said, viz: Mr., as lay delegate, and Mr., as alternate, were duly appointed to represent the same in the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, to be holden in the city of, on the day of, in the year of our Lord

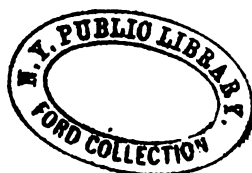
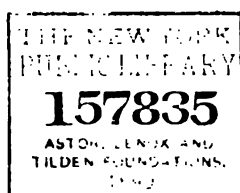
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[Return original to Secretary of Council and give duplicate to delegate attending.]

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, RICHMOND, VA.,
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1894.

The Special Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia met this day in St. Paul's church, Richmond, at 10 A. M.

There were present in the chancel the Rt. Rev. Francis M. Wittle, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese, the Rev. Drs. Walker and Carmichael, and the Rev. Messrs. B. M. Randolph and W. C. Latané.

The address was delivered by the Rev. C. Walker, D. D., on Romans viii, v. 26, and the Holy Communion was administered by the Bishop

After Divine service the Council was called to order by the Bishop.

The following roll of ministers, entitled by the Constitution to seats in the Council, January 31, 1894, was called and a quorum answered to their names.

Clergy Present.

RT. REV. FRANCIS M. WHITTLE.

Rev. George C. Abbitt,	Rev. Thomas E. Locke,
" Thomas M. Ambler,	" John K. Mason,
" Thomas P. Baker,	" Landon R. Mason,
" Clarence E. Ball,*	" Everard Meade,
" J. H. Birkhead,	" Charles Minnigerode,*
" William W. Brander,	" G. Mosley Murray,
" Edward B. Burwell,	" John McNabb,
" Hartley Carmichael,	" Preston G. Nash,
" Robert A. Castleman,	" George W. Nelson,
" William M. Clark,	" Kinloch Nelson,
" John C. Cornick,	" Frederick W. Neve,
" Angus Crawford,	" John B. Newton,
" Nelson P. Dame,	" John J. Norwood,*
" D. C. T. Davis,	" Joseph Packard,*
" John Y. Downman,	" Carter Page,
" Josiah R. Ellis,	" P. P. Phillips,
" Robert A. Goodwin,	" Pike Powers,
" James Grammer,	" B. M. Randolph,
" Carl E. Grammer,	" John F. Ribble,
" John C. Gray,*	" Frank Steed,*
" Berryman Green,	" Henderson Suter,
" John S. Hansbrough,	" P. D. Thompson,
" Charles S. Harrison,	" Arthur C. Thomson,
" Sewell S. Hepburn,	" John P. Tyler,
" Edwin S. Hinks,	" Cornelius Walker,
" J. Hervey Hundley,	" Samuel A. Wallis,
" E. Valentine Jones,*	" David F. Ward,
" Joseph R. Jones,	" S. S. Ware,
" C. R. Kuyk,	" S. P. Watters,
" William C. Latané,	" J. C. Wheat,
" H. B. Lee,	" Richard P. Williams,
" William B. Lee,	" William B. Williams,
" Charles H. Lee,	" Orville M. Yerger.*
" Thomas D. Lewis,	

* Absent.

 Laity Present—Committee on Credentials.

The roll of the Lay Delegates, whose certificates had been received by the Secretary, was then called and fifty-two answered to their names.

The Bishop then announced the following Committee on Credentials :

Rev. Preston Nash,	Mr. J. A. Cabell,
“ E. Meade,	“ H. I. Lewis,
“ S. S. Ware,	“ C. J. Sale,
Rev. E. V. Jones.	

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

The Rev. Mr. Nash then read his report which was : that he had examined the certificates and found the following gentlemen entitled to seats :

Mr. E. B. Addison,	Mr. R. H. Dulany,
“ T. L. Alfriend,	“ E. S. Evstaphiere,
“ Albert Baker,	“ James M. Garnett,
“ George A. Barksdale,	“ W. K. Gatewood,
“ W. S. Barton,	“ John W. Gordon,
“ C. C. Baughman,	“ Robert V. Gordon,
“ Robert Beverly,	“ George Hamilton,*
“ L. M. Blackford,	“ John T. Harris, Jr.*
“ Cyrus Bossieux,	“ E. C. Harrison,
“ W. A. Brockenbrough,	“ James B. Hodgkin,
“ Joseph Bryan,	“ George P. Hodgson,
“ R. W. Bury,	“ C. A. S. Hopkins,
“ J. A. Cabell,	“ B. O. James,
“ C. E. Cary,	“ George Johnston,
“ D. M. Chichester,	“ Richard W. Jones,
“ H. O. Clagett,	“ William Ellis Jones,
“ J. Churchill Cooke,	“ W. M. Jones,
“ George T. Darracott,	“ Charles King,
“ Charles Davenport,	“ Robert T. Knox,

* Absent.

 Bishop Whittle's Address.

Mr. R. T. Lacy,	Mr. Charles J. Sale,
" A. C. Landstreet,	" R. T. Scott,
" Thomas B. Lane,	" W. W. Scott,
" William C. Marshall,	" Robert Stiles,
" J. S. Mason,	" M. S. Stringfellow,
" W. T. Meade,	" William Tayloe,
" W. Goodwin Merrick,	" Thomas Thornton,*
" A. A. Moody,	" T. H. Vandeventer,
" Robert Murphy,	" R. C. Vass,
" C. Powell Noland,*	" F. L. Willis,
" William O. Norris,	" John G. Williams,
" John Page,	" William Wilson,
" R. Powell Page,	" B. L. Winston,*
" William H. Palmer,	" Charles Woolnough,
" F. S. Pennybacker,	" T. R. B. Wright.
" Thomas Potts,	

A quorum of both orders being present, the Council was declared organized and ready for business.

By direction of the Bishop the secretary then read the notice of the call of this Special Council, as follows:

DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

Notice for a Special Council of the Diocese:

By the recommendation of all the clergy of Richmond, and acting under authority of the 6th Article of the Constitution, a Special Council of the Diocese of Virginia is hereby called to meet in St. Paul's Church, Richmond, at 10 A. M., January 31, 1894, for the purpose of electing an Assistant Bishop.

(Signed) FRANCIS M. WHITTLE,
Bishop Diocese of Virginia.

RICHMOND, *January 8, 1894.*

BISHOP WHITTLE'S ADDRESS.

The Bishop then read his address, as follows:

MY DEAR BRETHREN:

At the time of our last Council in Winchester my health had

* Absent.

Bishop Whittle's Address.

so far improved that I confidently hoped to be able for some time to come to perform all the Episcopal duties of the Diocese, but this hope was soon disappointed. Continuing my visitations immediately after the adjournment of the Council, which had been commenced in the latter part of the winter, by the end of June my strength was exhausted and I was compelled to stop. After doing all I could to recruit my health, until the second week in September, I again resumed my visitations of the churches, but before completing my first list of appointments was obliged by great and constant suffering to give up all further effort and return home. Much of the time since I have been confined to my house, and although now better and able to attend to what I may call my office duties, I am still feeble and suffering, and my physician gives me no hope of ever being well enough to undergo the labor and fatigue of visiting the country churches. All this is well known to a number of my clerical brethren, with whom I have communicated freely on the subject, and they all insist that to meet the wants of the Diocese, there is no alternative but to elect an Assistant Bishop. It was further urged by one of these brethren that it would be best to call a Special Council for the election, and thus save nearly four months' time which would be lost by waiting until the annual Council in May. Not being willing to take the responsibility of asking for an assistant or of calling a Special Council, I conferred with the ministers of Richmond and, eleven being present, they unanimously advised and requested me to call this Council at this time and place to elect an Assistant Bishop.

I have thus, as briefly and plainly as I could, laid the whole case before you. It is for you to determine whether you will elect an assistant at this Council, or defer the matter until the next regular Council, or postpone it indefinitely. Provided you decide to proceed to elect an Assistant Bishop, I hereby signify my consent to such election—as required by Title I, Canon 19, of the Canons of the General Convention—and assign to the said Assistant Bishop, when duly elected and consecrated, all the duties of the Episcopal office which I am not able to perform myself. These include, at present, the visitation and oversight of all the country churches and some of those of the towns and cities.

Appointment and Report of the Finance Committee.

I have nothing to add except the earnest prayer that you may be blest with the presence and guidance of the Holy Spirit.

ELECTION OF ASSISTANT BISHOP.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin then moved that the Council go into the election of an Assistant Bishop.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE APPOINTED.

Mr. Thomas Potts moved, as a substitute, that the Chair appoint a Finance Committee who shall report as soon as possible.

Carried.

The Bishop appointed the following Committee on Finance :

Mr. Joseph Bryan,
" Thomas Potts,

Judge T. R. B. Wright,
Mr. R. Powell Page.

The Rev. Dr. Newton moved the adoption of the Rules of Order of the last Council.

Adopted.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Joseph Bryan made the report of the Committee on Finance, which was that the Bishop of this Diocese should receive \$3,000 salary, per year, and his residence, and that the Assistant Bishop should receive \$3,000, without a residence.

The Rev. N. P. Dame moved to amend with the words " that the salary of the Bishop remain as it now is, *i. e.* \$3,500 per year."

The Rev. H. B. Lee raised the point of order that this Council had no right to change the salary of the Bishop.

The Rev. G. W. Nelson, being called to the chair, decided the point of order well taken.

The amendment of Mr. Dame was then withdrawn.

Mr. Bryan asked permission to amend his report by inserting the following :

Report of the Finance Committee.

"That the salary of the Bishop remain unchanged until the consecration of the Assistant Bishop, and that the salary of the assistant begin at that time."

Permission was granted, on motion of Mr. R. T. Scott.

Mr. Bryan then offered the following amended report, which was adopted:

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH,
RICHMOND, VA., JANUARY 31, 1894.

The committee to whom was referred the condition of the finances of the Diocese, with a view to determining the ability of the Diocese to sustain the Bishop and an Assistant Bishop in the event one should be elected by this Council, respectfully reports as follows:

We have fully considered the resources of the Diocese applicable to the salaries of the Bishop and Assistant Bishop and the general expenses of the Diocese, and, in our judgment, the Diocese will be able to pay the necessary general expenses substantially as heretofore.

We recommend that the salary of the Bishop and the Assistant Bishop each be three thousand dollars. The Bishop to retain the Episcopal residence as at present. The Assistant Bishop's salary to be in lieu of any additional allowance for a residence.

These provisions to take effect upon the consecration of the Assistant Bishop, until which time the salary of the Bishop to remain as at present.

In making this report and recommendation we assume that the collection of the contingent fund will be as full as heretofore.

The committee would further state that they much desired to have provided a residence for the Assistant Bishop, and they feel sure that the Council will be glad to do so as soon as the collection of the contingent fund will be sufficient to justify it.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH BRYAN,
THOMAS POTTS,
E. B. ADDISON,
T. R. B. WRIGHT,
R. POWELL PAGE.

RESOLUTION OF SYMPATHY.

The Rev. Angus Crawford offered the following resolution which, on motion of Rev. R. A. Goodwin, was put to the House by the Secretary, and carried by a rising vote:

Resolutions, Motions, &c.

Resolved, That this Council express its deep sense of regret for the necessity which calls it together at this time, and its profound sympathy with our beloved Bishop in his trying affliction, and their appreciation of the good example he has set his people by his wonderful patience and submission, and pray God that his grace may continue to sustain him and his beloved wife, and long spare them to us.

The Rev. C. R. Kuyk moved that the visiting clergy be invited to seats on the floor of the Council.

Carried.

The Bishop then announced that after silent prayer the Council would proceed to the election of an Assistant Bishop.

On motion of the Rev. E. Meade it was—

Resolved, That in casting the vote, the roll be called and each delegate come forward and place his ballot in a box which would be provided for that purpose.

The Rev. G. W. Nelson asked the President if the Lay Delegates were entitled to speak on nominations for an Assistant Bishop when made by the clergy.

The Rev. Angus Crawford raised the point that this debate was out of order.

The President then decided that the Laity had no right, under Article V of the Constitution, to speak during the making of nominations.

The Rev. G. W. Nelson appealed from this decision.

The Rev. B. M. Randolph moved that the rule of order prohibiting debate on appeals from decisions of the President be suspended, and that discussion be allowed.

A vote by orders being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes, 45; noes, 50.

The motion was lost.

Nominations for Assistant Bishop.

The question on the appeal was then put, and the decision of the President was sustained.

Ayes, 62; noes, 34.

The Rev. C. E. Grammer moved to adjourn until 3 o'clock.

Carried.

WEDNESDAY, 3 P. M.

The Council re-assembled, Bishop Whittle in the chair, who announced that nominations for Assistant Bishop were in order.

NOMINATIONS FOR ASSISTANT BISHOP.

The following nominations for Assistant Bishop were then made:

The Rev. B. M. Randolph nominated the Rev. John B. Newton.

The Rev. H. B. Lee nominated the Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.

The Rev. L. R. Mason nominated the Rev. R. A. Gibson.

The Rev. S. S. Hepburn nominated the Rev. A. S. Lloyd.

The Rev. Wm. C. Latané nominated the Rev. R. A. Goodwin.

The Rev. C. E. Grammer nominated the Rev. L. W. Burton, D. D.

The Rev. Angus Crawford nominated the Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D.

The Bishop being summoned away by the extreme illness of his daughter-in-law, the Rev. G. W. Nelson was called to the chair.

The Rev. Dr. Carmichael offered a resolution of sympathy for the Bishop on the death of his daughter-in-law, which was adopted by a rising vote.

The Rev. C. E. Grammer moved that the nominations be closed, and that the Council proceed to ballot.

Carried.

The Rev. Preston Nash offered the following which, with amend-

 First and Second Ballots of the Clergy.

ments offered by the Rev. C. E. Grammer and Dr. Carmichael, was adopted, viz:

Resolved, That the name, or if there be two receiving the same vote, the names receiving the lowest number of votes be dropped, subject to one renomination later—no speeches being made.

The Council then proceeded to ballot, and the tellers, the Revs. H. B. Lee and Berryman Green, reported on first ballot the following vote:

Whole number of votes cast, 58; necessary to a choice, 30.

Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.....	7
Rev. J. B. Newton.....	16
Rev. L. W. Burton, D. D.	15
Rev. R. A. Goodwin.....	3
Rev. R. A. Gibson.....	9
Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D.....	4
Rev. A. S. Lloyd.....	2
Rev. W. M. Dame.....	2
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The President announced that there was no election, and ordered another ballot to be taken.

The names of the Revs. Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Dame were dropped.

Rev. B. M. Randolph moved that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 8 o'clock.

Carried.

The tellers then reported the second ballot. The whole number of votes cast, 57; necessary to a choice, 29.

Rev. L. W. Burton, D. D.....	18
Rev. J. B. Newton.	19
Rev. R. A. Gibson.....	6
Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D.....	5
Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.....	5
Rev. R. A. Goodwin.....	4
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Third Ballot of the Clergy.

No one having received a majority of votes cast, the President ordered the ballot to be again taken.

The Rev. Kinloch Nelson asked that his name be dropped.

The Rev. H. B. Lee asked the consent of the Council to withdraw the name of the Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D.

On motion the Rev. Dr. Nelson was allowed to withdraw his name.

The Rev. C. E. Grammer moved to adjourn until 8 P. M.

Carried.

WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.

The Council re-assembled, with the Rev. G. W. Nelson in the Chair, and resumed the business of election of Assistant Bishop.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin was renominated by the Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D.

The Rev. S. S. Hepburn renominated the Rev. A. S. Lloyd.

On motion of the Rev. S. A. Wallis, D. D., the Secretary was authorized to print the minutes of this Special Council in the Journal of the Ninety-ninth Council.

The Rev. R. A. Castleman moved that the thanks of this Council are hereby tendered to the ladies of the Episcopal churches of Richmond for the elegant and bountiful lunch provided for us to-day.

Carried.

The tellers reported the third ballot.

Whole number of votes cast, 52; necessary to a choice, 27.

 Fourth Ballot of the Clergy.

Rev. J. B. Newton.....	23
Rev. L. W. Burton, D. D.....	17
Rev. R. A. Gibson.....	5
Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.....	2
Rev. H. B. Lee.....	1
Rev. R. A. Goodwin.....	2
Rev. A. S. Lloyd.....	1
Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D.....	1
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There being no election, the President ordered another ballot to be taken.

The names of the Revs. Lee, Lloyd, and Nelson were dropped.

On motion of the Rev. B. M. Randolph it was—

Resolved, That the rectors and vestries of this Diocese be urged to do their utmost to collect the contingent fund assessment for the coming fiscal year; that the Diocese be placed upon her just financial basis.

Carried.

On motion of the Rev. C. E. Grammer it was—

Resolved, That we tender the rector of St. Paul's church the thanks of this Council for the admirable lesson in true church music, and the real pleasure that he gave the Council in the music this morning.

Carried.

The tellers reported the fourth ballot.

Whole number of votes cast, 56; necessary to a choice, 29.

Rev. J. B. Newton.....	30
Rev. L. W. Burton, D. D.....	15
Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D.....	1
Rev. R. A. Goodwin.....	3
Rev. R. A. Gibson.....	5
Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.....	2
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Ballot of the Laity and Election of Assistant Bishop.

The Rev. J. B. Newton was declared by the President to be the choice of the clergy.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Goodwin, which was amended by the Rev. C. E. Grammer, the election of Dr. Newton was declared unanimous, and the secretary was authorized to cast the ballot making Dr. Newton the unanimous choice of the clergy.

Carried.

And the ballot was so cast.

The President then announced that the Rev. J. B. Newton was before the laity for election or rejection.

Major John Page moved that the laity retire and consider the nomination of the candidate.

The President decided this out of order.

The President appointed tellers for the laity Mr. W. W. Scott and Mr. Charles Woolnough.

The laity then proceeded to vote (the roll being called as with the clerical vote), and the tellers reported :

Whole number of votes cast, 62; necessary to a choice, 32.

For the Rev. J. B. Newton: Ayes, 61; noes, 1.

The President then announced that the Rev. John B. Newton, having received a majority of the votes cast, is the choice of this Council for Assistant Bishop for the Diocese of Virginia.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin moved that a committee of two clergymen and two laymen be appointed by the President to wait on the Bishop, who was called from the Council by the death of his daughter-in-law, and inform him that the Rev. J. B. Newton had been elected Assistant Bishop, and ask if he had any further business to suggest to the Council.

Carried.

The Assistant Bishop presented to the Council.

The following committee was appointed, who proceeded to the Bishop's house:

Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D.	Major John Page,
“ James Grammer, D. D.	Mr. Joseph Bryan.

After some time, the committee returned, and reported, through Dr. Carmichael, that the Bishop had no suggestions to make to the Council.

The “Prayer for those in Affliction” was then offered by the President.

On motion of the Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., a committee of two clergymen and one layman was appointed to inform Dr. Newton of his election, and to bring him before the Council.

The President appointed the Rev. C. E. Grammer, the Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., and Mr. John G. Williams.

Dr. Newton was introduced to the Council by the Rev. C. E. Grammer. The Bishop-elect spoke to the Council in an earnest and feeling manner.

The testimonial of the election of the Rev. John Brockenbrough Newton, M. D., as Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Virginia, was then signed by a Canonical majority of the Clerical and Lay Delegates of the Council.

On motion, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with, and, after appropriate religious services, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

FRANCIS M. WHITTLE, *President*.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

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PLACES OF MEETING OF THE COUNCIL.

CHARLOTTESVILLE,	-	-	-	-	-	1895
ALEXANDRIA,	-	-	-	-	-	1896
FREDERICKSBURG,	-	-	-	-	-	1897
WINCHESTER,	-	-	-	-	-	1898
RICHMOND,	-	-	-	-	-	1899

DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

Officers, Committees, etc., for 1894.

RT. REV. FRANCIS M. WHITTLE, D. D., LL.D., *Bishop*.

RT. REV. JOHN B. NEWTON, *Assistant Bishop*.

Secretary of the Council.

REV. EVERARD MEADE, *Richmond*.

Treasurer of the Council.

MR. JAMES T. GRAY, *Richmond*.

Standing Committee of the Diocese of Virginia.

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DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,
WITH THEIR CURES AND POST-OFFICES,
MAY, 1894.

Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D., *Richmond*.
Rt. Rev. John B. Newton, *Richmond*.
Rev. George C. Abbitt, St. Mark's Church, *Richmond*.
Rev. Thomas M. Ambler, Ashland Parish, *Ashland*.
Rev. Thomas P. Baker, St. John's Church, *West Point*.
Rev. Clarence E. Ball, Grace Church, *Alexandria*.
Rev. J. H. Birkhead, Overwharton Parish, *Stafford C. H.*
Rev. W. W. Brander, Rivanna Parish, *Columbia*.
Rev. W. Cabell Brown*, *Porto Alegre, Brazil, S. A.*
Rev. Edward B. Burwell, Christ Church Parish, *Lancaster C. H.*
Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D., St. Paul's Church, *Richmond*.
Rev. Robert A. Castleman, Upper Truro Parish and Fall's Church,
Fairfax Parish, *Herndon*.
Rev. William M. Clark, St. George's Church, *Fredericksburg*.
Rev. John C. Cornick, Westover Parish, *Westover*.
Rev. Angus Crawford, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary*,
Fairfax county.

* Not entitled to a seat.

List of Clergy.

- Rev. Nelson P. Dame, Christ Church, *Winchester*.
Rev. D. C. T. Davis, St. Anne's Parish, Essex county, *Loretto*.
Rev. John Y. Downman, All Saint's Church, *Richmond*.
Rev. William B. Everett*, St. Thomas Church, *Middletown*.
Rev. J. R. Ellis, Christ Church, *Gordonsville*.
Rev. Robert A. Goodwin, St. John's Church, *Richmond*.
Rev. James Grammer, D. D., Kingston Parish, Mathews county, *Williams' Wharf*.
Rev. Carl E. Grammer, Professor, *Theological Seminary*, Fairfax county.
Rev. John J. Gravatt, Church of the Holy Trinity, *Richmond*.
Rev. John C. Gray, Trinity Church, *Fredericksburg*.
Rev. Berryman Green, St. James' Church, *Leesburg*.
Rev. John S. Hansbrough, St. Thomas' Church, *Orange C. H.*
Rev. Chas. S. Harrison, Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock county, *Sperryville*.
Rev. Sewell S. Hepburn, St. Paul's and St. Martin's Parishes, Hanover county, *Taylorsville*.
Rev. Edwin S. Hinks, Meade Parish, Fauquier county, *Upperville*.
Rev. J. Hervey Hundley, D. D., St. Luke's Church, Essex county, *Montague's*.
Rev. J. T. L. Hynes, Beckford Parish, *Mount Jackson*.
Rev. John W. Johnson (colored), St. Philip's Church, *Richmond*.
Rev. E. Valentine Jones, Walker's Parish, Albemarle county, *Bowlesville*.
Rev. Joseph R. Jones, Greenway Court Parish, Clarke county, *Millwood*.
Rev. Lucien L. Kinsolving*, *Porto Alegre, Brazil, S. A.*
Rev. C. R. Kuyk, Assistant, St. John's Church, and Missionary, *Richmond*.
Rev. Wm. C. Latané, Washington Parish, Westmoreland county, *Oak Grove*.
Rev. H. B. Lee, Christ Church, *Charlottesville*.
Rev. Wm. B. Lee, Abingdon and Ware Parishes, *Gloucester C. H.*
Rev. Charles H. Lee, Jr., Leed's Parish, Fauquier county, *Hume*.
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* Not entitled to a seat.

 List of Clergy.

- Rev. Thomas D. Lewis, Trinity Church, Manassas and Zion Church, *Fairfax C. H.*
- Rev. Thomas E. Locke, St. Anne's Parish, Albemarle county, *Glendower.*
- Rev. John K. Mason, D. D., St. James' Church, *Richmond.*
- Rev. Landon R. Mason, Grace Church, *Richmond.*
- Rev. Everard Meade, Evangelist, *Richmond.*
- Rev. John G. Meem*, *Porto Alegre, Brazil, S. A.*
- Rev. J. M. Meredith*, Stafford county, *Richland.*
- Rev. Charles Minnigerode, D. D., *Alexandria.*
- Rev. G. Mosley Murray, Slaughter Parish, Culpeper county, *Rapidan.*
- Rev. John McNabb, Hanover Parish, *King George C. H.*
- Rev. J. J. McIlhinney, Fairfax county, *Fall's Church.*
- Rev. James W. Morris*, *Porto Alegre, Brazil, S. A.*
- Rev. Preston Nash, Christ Church, *Richmond.*
- Rev. George W. Nelson, St. James Church, *Warrenton.*
- Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary, Fairfax county.*
- Rev. Frederick W. Neve, St. Paul's and Emmanuel Churches, Albemarle county, *Ivy Depot.*
- Rev. John J. Norwood, Whittle Parish, Fauquier county, *The Plains.*
- Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D., Dean, *Theological Seminary, Fairfax county.*
- Rev. Carter Page, Ridley Parish, Culpeper county, *Brandy Station.*
- Rev. P. P. Phillips, St. Paul's Church, *Alexandria.*
- Rev. Pike Powers, D. D., St. Andrew's Church, *Richmond.*
- Rev. B. M. Randolph, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county, *Brook Hill.*
- Rev. J. B. T. Reed*, *Wheaton.*
- Rev. John F. Ribble, Piedmont and Emmanuel Parishes, *Casanova.*
- Rev. George S. Somerville*, Haymarket Parish, Prince William county, *Warminster.*
- Rev. Stephen O. Southall*, *Amelia C. H.*
- Rev. D. Francis Sprigg*, D. D., *Richmond.*

 * Not entitled to a seat.

List of Clergy.

- Rev. Frank Steed, Luray Parish, Page county, *Luray*.
Rev. Henderson Suter, D. D., Christ Church, *Alexandria*.
Rev. P. D. Thompson, Wickliffe Parish, Clarke county, *Wickliffe*.
Rev. Arthur C. Thomson, South Farnham Parish, Essex County, *Tappahannock*.
Rev. John P. Tyler, Cunningham Chapel Parish, Clarke county, *Millwood*.
Rev. Thomas W. Vaughan (colored), St. Paul's Chapel, *Gordonsville*.
Rev. Cornelius Walker, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary*, Fairfax county.
Rev. Samuel A. Wallis, Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county, *Accotink*.
Rev. David F. Ward, Cople Parish, Westmoreland county, *Hague*.
Rev. S. S. Ware, St. Mary's Parish, Caroline county, *Port Royal*.
Rev. S. P. Watters, St. Stephen's Church, *Culpeper C. H.*
Rev. J. C. Wheat, D. D., Grace Church, Rockingham county, *Lynwood*.
Rev. W. B. Williams, Missionary, *Richmond*.
Rev. Orville M. Yerger, Emmanuel Church, *Harrisonburg*.

LIST OF LAY DELEGATES.

ELECTED TO THE COUNCIL, MAY, 1894.

- Alfriend, T. L., All Saint's Church, Richmond.
Ashby, Jas., Overwharton Parish, Stafford county.
Baker, Albert, Christ Church, Frederick Parish, Frederick county.
Bander, E., Trinity Church, Prince William county.
Bargamin, A., Grace Church, Richmond.
Barksdale, George A., St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.
Bentley, Wm. C., St. Paul's Church, Richmond.
Beveridge, F. D., St. Mark's Church, Richmond.
Blackford, L. M., Christ Church, Alexandria.
Blake, J. C., St. David's Church, King William county.
Bossieux, Cyrus, St. John's Church, Richmond.
Brockenbrough, John, Christ Church, Middlesex county.
Brockenbrough, Wm. A., Emmanuel Church, Richmond county.
Brown, L. P., Trinity Church, Upperville.
Bryan, Joseph, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.
Burton, Charles W., Christ Church, Richmond.
Carter, W. H., Grace Church, Caroline county.
Cary, Charles E., Ware Church, Gloucester county.
Chew, Thomas J., Haymarket Parish, Prince William county.
Clagett, H. O., St. James' Church, Leesburg.
Claybrook, Willoughby Newton, Cople Parish, Westmoreland county.
Coleman, Wm. J., St. John's Church, Louisa county.
Darracott, George T., St. Paul's Church, Hanover county.
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Laity Present.

Fitzhugh, R. C., St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.

Garnett, James M., Christ Church, Charlottesville.

Gordon, John W., Moore Memorial Church, Richmond.

Green, Edward M., Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock county.

Henderson, Thomas, Church of Our Saviour, Fauquier county.

James, B. O., St. James' Northam Parish, Goochland county.

Jones, W. M., St. James' Church, Ashland.

King, Charles, Grace Church, Alexandria.

Lacy, Lane, St. Peter's Church, New Kent county.

Levy, Leon, St. James' Church, Louisa county.

Machen, James P., Upper Truro Parish, Fairfax county.

Merrick, W. Gordon, Christ Church, St. Ann's Parish, Albemarle county.

McGuire, F. H., St. James' Church, Richmond.

Mackreth, Robert, St. Paul's Church, Albemarle county.

Mason, J. S., Emmanuel Church, Piedmont Parish, Fauquier county.

Marshall, Wm. C., Leed's Parish, Fauquier county.

Meade, D. G., Whittle Parish, Fauquier county.

Moore, Thomas, Zion Church, Fairfax county.

McGuire, Dr. J. M. G., Clarke Parish, Clarke county.

Nelson, P. W., Grace Church, Albemarle county.

Nelson, Keating S., Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county.

Nicolson, James L., Abingdon Parish, Gloucester county.

Noland, C. P., Luray Parish, Page county.

Norris, W. O., Wickliffe Church, Clarke county.

Nourse, C. J., Grace Church, Fauquier county.

Ott, Luther H., Rockingham Parish, Rockingham county.

Page, John, St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county.

Page, R. Powell, Christ Church, Clarke county.

Pendleton, J. D., Christ Church, Gordonsville.

Laity Present.

Rixey, Eppa, St. Mark's Parish, Culpeper C. H.

Snead, Capt. W. T., Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.

Sale, C. J., St. Ann's Parish, Essex county.

Scott, R. Taylor, St. James' Church, Warrenton.

Spindle, C. W., Christ and St. Paul's Churches, Culpeper.

Taylor, John M., Monumental Church, Richmond.

Temple, John, South Farnham, Essex county.

Tripp, Silas D., Falls Church, Fairfax county.

Triplett, L., Jr., Beckford Parish, Shenandoah county.

Walker, G. M., Westover Parish, Charles City county.

Wallace, M. R. (colored), Convocation.

Wellford, R. Carter, St. John's Church, Richmond county.

Williams, John G., St. Thomas' Church, Orange county.

Wilmer, Joseph, Slaughter Parish, Culpeper county.

Wirt, Dr. Wm., Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.

Woolnough, Chas. E., Emmanuel Church, Albemarle county.

Zimmerman, John R., St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

RULES OF ORDER.

ORGANIZATION.

- 1st. The Council shall be opened each day with prayer.
- 2d. After the call to order no member shall remain standing, nor afterward stand except to address the chair.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1st. After the organization of the Council the following order of business shall be observed:

The appointment of a Treasurer *pro tempore* when the Treasurer is absent.

The adoption of rules of order.

The reading of the journal of the preceding day.

The reading of pastoral address.

The appointment of committees.

Report of standing committees.

Report of special committees.

Unfinished business.

- 2d. There shall be appointed by the President, not later than the *second* day of the Council, unless otherwise directed, the following standing committees, to consist of an equal number of each order:

A committee on the State of the Church, to whom shall be referred the address of the Bishop on the opening of the Council.

A Committee on the Fund for the support of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen.

A Committee on the Episcopal Fund.

A Committee on the Brotherhood.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Disabled Clergy Fund.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Bruce Fund.

Rules of Order.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Missionary Society.

A Committee on Parochial Reports.

A Committee on the Admission of New Parishes.

A Committee on Elections.

A Committee on Finance, consisting of laymen.

A Committee on Clerical Support, consisting of *ten* laymen.

A Committee on Sunday Schools.

3d. Immediately after the reading of the Bishops' Addresses the Council shall proceed to elect the Standing Committee of the Diocese, the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and such other Committees as are necessary for the transaction of the business of the Diocese until the next annual meeting of the Council.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1st. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, and if in writing, be read by the Secretary, before debate.

2d. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed in possession of the Council, but may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before amendment or decision, with the consent of the second.

3d. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any member require it.

4th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted under color of amendment as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

5th. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a certain day, to commit or to amend; which several motions shall have precedence in the order enumerated.

6th. The previous question shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present; it shall be in this form: "Shall the main question now be put?" and until decided all debate and amendment are precluded.

Rules of Order.

7th. A motion to adjourn, or to lay on the table, shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

8th. When a member desires to speak in debate, or present any matter to the Council, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personality.

9th. If any member transgresses the rules of the Council the President shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately take his seat unless permitted to explain. If the ruling of the President be appealed from, the Council shall decide the appeal without debate.

10th. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

11th. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question without leave of the Council.

12th. The vote on all questions shall be taken by ayes and noes, whenever seven members require it.

13th. Any member may call for the division of the question where the sense will admit of it, but a motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible.

14th. Every member who may be in the house when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

15th. No member shall vote upon question in the decision of which he is immediately and personally interested.

16th. Upon a division and count of the Council on any question, no member shall be counted who is not within the limits assigned as seats to the members.

17th. When a question has been decided by the Council or postponed indefinitely, it may be reconsidered upon motion made by a member voting in the majority; *provided*, such motion be made on the same or next succeeding day of the session.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1st. No member shall absent himself from the meetings of the Council without leave, unless he be sick or unable to attend.

Rules of Order.

2d. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats without the limits of those allotted to the use of the members, which shall be appropriated to the accommodation of visiting clergymen and candidates for orders who may be invited by the Rector or Wardens of the church in which the meetings of the Council are held, under the direction of the President and Council.

3d. No spectators shall, during the daily sessions of the Council, be admitted above or within the pews allotted to the members, and the Rector and Wardens of the church in which the sessions of the Council are held are directed to see that this rule is enforced.

4th. No rule of order shall be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

JOURNAL
OF THE
NINETY-NINTH ANNUAL COUNCIL
OF THE
Protestant Episcopal Church,
IN VIRGINIA.

MONUMENTAL CHURCH, RICHMOND, VA.,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 1894.

The Ninety-Ninth Annual Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, met at 10 A. M. this day in Monumental Church for the consecration of the Rev. John B. Newton, M. D., as Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Virginia.

There were present, in the chancel, the Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D., Bishop of Virginia; the Rt. Rev. George W. Peterkin, Bishop of West Virginia, and the Rt. Rev. A. M. Randolph, Bishop of Southern Virginia, as Consecrators; the Rt. Rev. Thomas U. Dudley, D. D., Bishop of Kentucky; the Rt. Rev. H. M. Jackson, D. D., Assistant Bishop of Alabama, and the Rt. Rev. Ellison Capers, D. D., Assistant Bishop of South Carolina. The Bishop of Virginia acted for the Presiding Bishop. Bishop Jackson, of Alabama, and Bishop Capers, of South Carolina, were the Presenters.

Morning prayer was read by the Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., and the Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D.

Bishop Dudley preached the sermon from St. John xvii, 21.

Consecration of the Assistant Bishop.

The Testimonial of the Council of Virginia was read by the Secretary, the Rev. Everard Meade; that of the Standing Committee by Mr. L. M. Blackford.

The Testimonial of the Bishops and the Order for the Consecration taken by the Presiding Bishop, were read by the Rev. B. M. Randolph.

After the laying on of hands, Assistant Bishop Newton was conducted within the rails of the chancel, and the Holy Communion was proceeded with.

The Council was called to order by Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle at 1:15 P. M.

The roll of ministers was called, and the following answered to their names :

RT. REV. FRANCIS M. WHITTLE, D. D.

RT. REV. JOHN B. NEWTON, M. D.

Rev. George C. Abbitt,	Rev. James Grammer, D. D.
" Thomas M. Ambler,	" John J. Gravatt,
" Thomas P. Baker,	" John C. Gray,
" Clarence E. Ball,	" Berryman Green,
" J. H. Birckhead,	" John S. Hansbrough,
" William W. Brander,	" Charles S. Harrison,
" Edward B. Burwell,	" Sewell S. Hepburn,
" Hartley Carmichael, D. D.	" J. Hervey Hundley, D. D.
" Robert A. Castleman,	" J. T. L. Hynes,
" William M. Clark,	" E. Valentine Jones,
" John C. Cornick,	" Joseph R. Jones,
" Angus Crawford, D. D.	" C. R. Kuyk,
" Nelson P. Dame,	" William C. Latané,
" D. C. T. Davis,	" Charles H. Lee,
" John Y. Downman,	" H. B. Lee,
" Josiah R. Ellis,	" William B. Lee,
" Robert A. Goodwin,	" Thomas D. Lewis,

Clergy and Laity Present.

Rev. Thomas E. Locke,	Rev. John F. Ribble,
" John K. Mason, D. D.	" Frank Steed,
" Landon R. Mason,	" P. D. Thompson,
" Everard Meade,	" Arthur C. Thomson,
" G. Mosley Murray,	" John P. Tyler,
" Preston Nash,	" Thomas W. Vaughan,
" George W. Nelson,	" Samuel A. Wallis,
" Kinloch Nelson, D. D.	" David F. Ward,
" Frederick W. Neve,	" S. S. Ware,
" Carter Page,	" S. P. Watters,
" P. P. Phillips,	" Orville M. Yerger.
" B. M. Randolph,	

The roll of Lay Delegates, whose certificates had been sent to the Secretary, was then called, and the following answered to their names:

Mr. T. L. Alfriend,	Mr. F. H. McGuire,
" E. Bander,	Dr. J. M. S. McGuire,
" George A. Barksdale,	Mr. D. G. Meade,
" William C. Bentley,	" Thomas Moore,
" F. T. Beveridge,	" P. W. Nelson,
" L. M. Blackford,	" Keating S. Nelson,
" John Brockenbrough,	" C. J. Nourse,
" Wm. A. Brockenbrough,	" Luther H. Ott,
" Joseph Bryan,	" R. Powell Page,
" Charles H. Burton,	Dr. J. D. Pendleton,
" Thomas J. Chew,	Mr. Eppa Rixie,
" H. O. Clagett,	" William H. Richards,
" W. N. Claybrook,	" C. J. Sale,
" R. C. Fitzhugh,	" R. Taylor Scott,
" James M. Garnett,	Captain W. T. Snead,
" John W. Gordon,	Mr. John M. Taylor,
" B. O. James,	" Silas D. Tripp,
" Lane Lacy,	" L. Triplett,
" H. I. Lewis,	" R. Carter Wellford,
" James P. Machen,	" John G. Williams,
" Robert Mackreth,	" B. L. Winston,
" William C. Marshall,	" Charles Woolnough.

Report of Committee on Credentials and Resolutions.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

The Bishop then announced the following Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates:

Rev. B. M. Randolph,	Rev. Wm. C. Latané,
“ J. Y. Downman,	Mr. F. D. Beveridge,
“ Geo. C. Abbitt,	“ B. O. James,
Mr. Wm. C. Marshall.	

The Rev. Mr. Randolph, chairman, reported that the roll called by the Secretary was correct, and the following names were to be added to it, viz:

Maj. John Page,	Mr. Geo. T. Darracott,
Mr. Joseph Wilmer,	“ Cyrus Bossieux,
“ J. S. Mason,	“ M. R. Wallace (colored).

A quorum of both orders being present, the Council was declared organized and ready for business.

The Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., offered the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That the Rules of Order of the last Council be adopted as the Rules of Order for this Council.

Resolved, That, beginning to-morrow in St. James' Church, the following be the hours for religious services and business: Divine service at 9:30 A. M. Adjournment for dinner at 2 P. M. Re-assemble at 4 P. M., and adjourn at 6 P. M.

Mr. L. M. Blackford presented the following:

Resolved, That the visiting clergy and candidates for Holy Orders be invited to seats on the floor of the Council.

Carried.

Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D., presented the following:

Resolved, That the Bishops of West Virginia, Southern Virginia, Kentucky, Alabama, and South Carolina be invited to seats within the chancel.

Carried.

Appointment of Standing Committees.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Bishop announced the following Standing Committees:

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Rev. S. A. Wallis,	Mr. R. Powell Page,
" E. V. Jones,	" H. T. Lewis,
" H. Carmichael,	" George A. Barksdale,
" Preston Nash,	" R. Carter Wellford.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

Rev. R. A. Castleman,	Mr. Charles E. Cary.
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EPISCOPAL FUND.

Rev. B. Green,	Dr. William Wirt.
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BROTHERHOOD.

Mr. R. Taylor Scott,	Mr. H. O. Clagett,
Mr. L. M. Blackford.	

DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

Rev. Carter Page,	Mr. W. A. Brockenbrough.
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BRUCE FUND.

Rev. S. S. Hepburn,	Mr. B. L. Winston.
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DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Rev. H. B. Lee,	Mr. R. C. Fitzhugh,
" George C. Abbitt,	" William C. Marshall.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Rev. John J. Gravatt,	Mr. Charles Woolnough,
" William B. Lee,	" F. D. Beveridge,
" J. R. Ellis,	" C. J. Sale.

Standing Committees, Evening Session.

NEW PARISHES.

Rev. G. W. Nelson,	Mr. D. G. Meade,
“ J. J. Norwood,	“ C. P. Noland.

ELECTIONS.

Rev. P. P. Phillips,	Mr. Thomas Moore.
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FINANCE.

Mr. Joseph Bryan,	Mr. Albert Baker,
“ John G. Williams,	“ James M. Garnett,
Mr. Cyrus Bossieux.	

CLERICAL SUPPORT.

Mr. W. S. Barton,	Mr. Thomas L. Alfriend,
“ B. O. James,	“ L. H. Ott,
“ Thomas Henderson,	“ G. M. Walker,
“ J. P. Machen,	“ Charles King,
“ J. D. Pendleton,	“ Thomas J. Chew.

On motion of the Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., the Council adjourned to meet at St. James' Church this evening at 8:15 o'clock.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, WEDNESDAY, 8:15 P. M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Rt. Rev. John B. Newton, the Assistant Bishop, in the chair.

After Divine service, conducted by the Rector, the Rev. Dr. Powers read the report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society.

Report of Executive Committee of D. M. Society.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA.

The Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia respectfully report :

That they have aided in the past year parishes in the following counties, viz: Albemarle, Caroline, Culpeper, Essex, Fairfax, Fauquier, Fluvanna, Frederick, Gloucester, Hanover, Henrico, King George, King and Queen, King William, Lancaster, Loudoun, Louisa, Madison, Mathews, Middlesex, New Kent, Northumberland, Orange, Rappahannock, Richmond, Shenandoah, Spotsylvania and Stafford—twenty-seven out of the thirty-eight counties of the Diocese. These parishes and parts of parishes have been served by twenty-six ministers, two of whom resigned in the course of the year, leaving only two vacant parishes in the Diocese, which will probably be filled the ensuing summer. In a few cases, as in New Kent and Spotsylvania, only a single church or chapel is served, and in several others the parish is ministered to by a clergyman living in a neighboring county, as Northumberland, by Rev. E. B. Burwell, of Lancaster county; Louisa, by Rev. E. Valentine Jones, of Albemarle, and Rev. J. R. Ellis, of Gordonsville; King and Queen, by Rev. A. C. Thomson, of Essex, and Middlesex, by Rev. J. H. Hundley, of Essex. It will be seen, therefore, that our work covers more than two-thirds of the area of the Diocese. The aid given has ranged from \$100 to \$300 to a parish or church, with the exception of \$50 to St. George's Chapel, Spotsylvania; and the total amount paid out by the treasurer, according to his report, including the evangelist's salary and other incidental expenses, is about \$6,827.64. We believe that our missionaries are all faithful men, working efficiently in their several fields of labor according to their ability and opportunity. While some changes take place from time to time within the Diocese, there seems to be little or no disposition on the part of the settled rectors to leave it. The exhibit which we have made above of more than two-thirds of the Diocese helped by us and needing help, shows the extent and importance of our work and the need of liberal support on the part of the people. We cannot do our present work with less than seven thousand dollars, and we ought to do more than we are now doing. Some stipends ought to be increased and some new fields ought to be occupied. The total amount of receipts since the Council of 1893, according to the treasurer's report, is \$6,265.58. At this date the balance on hand is \$3,455.44. A good balance to start with is necessary, because, while the receipts of the summer and early fall are always small, the payments go on all the time, and without a good balance to fall back upon our funds are exhausted and we are driven to the necessity of borrowing. The work of the evangelist, Rev. Everard Meade, has been so wise, faithful and efficient that we desire to continue his services. Not only

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are parishes likely to become vacant at any time, but there is so much missionary and other work needing to be done in the Diocese, which neither the Bishops nor the settled clergy can do, that we do not see how we can dispense with his services, and we believe that the result will amply justify his continuance. The following statement will show some of the work which needs to be done: There are nine counties in the Diocese which have no resident minister. There are fourteen counties with one resident minister in each county. In the county of Hanover one minister, Rev. S. S. Hepburn, has charge of six churches. In the counties of Lancaster and Northumberland one minister, Rev. E. B. Burwell, has charge of five churches, and nearly all our county parishes have three churches to be served. The services are therefore necessarily infrequent, and an evangelist or general missionary would be invaluable to give more frequent and sometimes continued services, as well as to afford relief to the overburdened rectors. Besides, the county of Greene has no Episcopal church, no services, and no Episcopal people except, perhaps, one or two. The county of Madison has one church and five communicants, with no increase for at least ten years. The county of Spotsylvania has no services outside of Fredericksburg, except at St. George's Chapel, a few miles from that city. The lower part of Caroline and the upper part of the adjoining county of King and Queen for a distance of probably fifty miles has no Episcopal church and no Episcopal service. So great is the need of missionary service that some convocations have been trying to raise a fund to support a convocation missionary. Besides there are always Deacons who need some one to administer the Holy Communion to their people, which the neighboring clergy are either unable or unwilling to do. We think, therefore, that an Evangelist or General Missionary is necessary to carry on and to extend the work of the church in the Diocese. We recognize the increased burdens of the Diocese, with its resources diminished, as they have been, by division and by the hardness of the times, but we believe that the Diocese of Virginia will, by the blessing of God, be equal to the emergency, as she always has been, and we thank God and the people and the children for the showing we are able to make in spite of all difficulties. But we urge Rectors and Superintendents of Sunday schools to keep up their collections for Diocesan Missions for at least another month. We remind all our missionaries that our Rules require them to take up a collection for the same object four times a year, and we suggest that the Sunday schools have at least one Missionary Sunday a month, when the collection shall be devoted to missionary objects, believing that the collections of the other Sundays will be sufficient to meet the proper expenses of the Sunday school, and reserving still the Lenten offerings for Diocesan Missions.

All which is respectfully submitted.

PIKE POWERS,

Secretary Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia.

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- June 27.—Emmanuel, King George county, confirmed three.
- June 28.—St. Mathew's, Essex, confirmed three.
- June 29.—Vawter's, Essex, confirmed one.
- June 30.—Grace, Caroline, confirmed five.

At this time I felt in need of rest, and suspended further visitations until—

September 19.—In Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg, assisted by Rev. Robt. C. Jett and N. P. Dame, admitted the rector, Rev. Orville M. Yerger, to priest's orders, and confirmed three.

September 20.—St. Andrew's, Mt. Jackson (vacant), confirmed one.

September 22.—Emmanuel, Fauquier, confirmed two.

September 23.—Trinity, Upperville, confirmed ten.

September 24.—Emmanuel, Middleburg, confirmed four.

September 24.—Church of the Redeemer, Aldie, confirmed two.

September 25.—Church of our Saviour, Oatlands, confirmed one.

September 26.—St. James', Leesburg, confirmed fourteen. I had two other appointments, but bodily suffering, which I had endured for several days, now became so severe as to compel me to recall them, and I was unable to make any new ones until the following spring.

October 22.—Bishop Randolph, kindly acting for me in Grace Church, Fauquier, confirmed thirteen.

November 1.—St. Luke's, Fauquier, confirmed nine.

November 10.—In St. Mark's, Richmond, assisted by Rev. Messrs. Newton, Downman and Goodwin, ordained the rector, Rev. George C. Abbitt, Priest.

1894, January 16.—Christ Church, Charlottesville, Bishop Peterkin confirmed six.

January 31.—I presided over a special Council in St. Paul's Church, Richmond, which had been called three weeks before, to consider my request for the election of an Assistant Bishop on the ground of my broken health. The Council generously responded, and on the same day, with great unanimity, elected Rev. John B. Newton, M. D., for many years the faithful and beloved rector of the Monumental Church, Richmond.

February 25.—St. Andrew's Church, Richmond, confirmed ten.

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March 4.—Grace, Richmond, confirmed sixteen.

March 11.—Moore Memorial, confirmed thirteen, and St. Mark's, thirteen, one being from Emmanuel Chapel.

March 18.—All Saint's, Richmond, confirmed nine.

March 25.—Confirmed in St. John's, Richmond, thirty-eight, and in the Monumental, twelve.

April 1.—St. Paul's, confirmed twenty, and St. James', twenty-nine.

April 8.—St. George's, Fredericksburg, confirmed twelve, and in Trinity Church, fourteen.

April 10.—Wickliffe Church, Clarke county, confirmed three.

April 12.—Grace, Berryville, confirmed four.

April 13.—Christ, Millwood, eighteen, and Christ, Winchester, thirty-two. The last four confirmations were by Bishop Peterkin, of West Virginia, who kindly acted for me.

April 15.—Confirmed twenty-four in Christ, Richmond, and in St. Philip's (colored), confirmed seven.

April 21.—St. James', Louisa C. H., confirmed three.

April 22.—In Christ Church, Gordonsville, confirmed seventeen, and in St. Paul's Chapel (colored), confirmed eight.

April 25.—St. James', Ashland, confirmed four.

April 29.—Visited the churches in Alexandria, confirming in Grace, thirteen; St. Paul's, twenty-three; and Christ, twelve.

RECEIVED AS POSTULANTS.

Wm. H. K. Pendleton, Joseph A. Specht, Benj. Johnson Darnelle, J. Ogle Warfield, R. Page Newton, J. R. Matthews, Ian Grant Cameron, W. T. Snead, Jr.

R. Page Newton, because of bad health, has since withdrawn.

CANDIDATES FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS.

John G. Scott, John S. Douglas, James F. Aitkins, Jos. Howard Gibbons, Eppa Rixey, J. Ogle Warfield.

John G. Scott has been transferred to Southern Virginia.

DEACONS ORDAINED.

1893, May 9.—In St. Paul's Church, Richmond, Geo. C. Abbitt.

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June 18.—In Christ Church, Richmond, Wm. Hamilton Stewart.

June 23.—In the Theological Seminary Chapel, Thomas Perry Baker, Arthur Kirkly Fenton, Charles Henry Lee, Jr., Thos. Dean Lewis, Arthur C. Thomson, David F. Ward, Henry Wingate. The last for the Bishop of East Carolina.

PRESBYTERS ORDAINED.

1893, May 9.—In St. Paul's, Richmond, Rev. Richard P. Williams.

June 23.—In Theological Seminary Chapel, Rev. Josiah Richard Ellis, Rev. John Francis Ribble.

September 19.—Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg, Rev. Orville M. Yerger.


November 10.—St. Mark's, Richmond, Rev. George C. Abbitt.

MINISTERIAL CHANGES.

Rev. James Grammer, D. D., has become rector of Kingston Parish, Mathews county; Rev. D. F. Sprigg, D. D., has resigned Moore Memorial Church, Richmond; Rev. P. P. Phillips has resigned the rectorship of Grace Church, Berryville, and accepted that of St. Paul's, Alexandria; Rev. Thos. P. Baker is in charge of St. John's Church, West Point; Charles H. Lee, Jr., of Leeds Parish, Fauquier; Thomas D. Lewis, of the churches at Fairfax Courthouse and Manassas; Arthur C. Thomson, of South Farnham Parish, Essex, and David F. Ward, of Cople Parish, Westmoreland; Rev. J. R. Ellis is rector of Christ Church, Gordonsville; John F. Ribble, of Emmanuel Parish, Fauquier; O. M. Yerger, of Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg; George C. Abbitt, of St. Mark's, Richmond; Clarence E. Ball, of Grace, Alexandria; J. T. L. Hynes, of Beckford Parish, Shenandoah; John J. Gravatt, of Moore Memorial Church, Richmond; Robert A. Goodwin, of St. John's, Richmond; George S. Somerville, of St. Paul's Church, Haymarket.

LETTERS DIMISSORY GIVEN.

Revs. Augustine J. Smith and Wm. Lewis Burton to Kentucky; Arthur K. Fenton to West Virginia; Wm. H. Stewart to New York; Jas. W. Keeble to Arkansas; Robert C. Jett and William T. Roberts



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to Southern Virginia; William J. Morton to Tennessee; Richard P. Williams to Alabama.

LETTERS DIMISSORY ACCEPTED.

Revs. O. M. Yerger from Alabama; C. E. Ball from Albany; J. T. L. Hynes from Tennessee; Robert A. Goodwin, John J. Gravatt and George S. Somerville from Southern Virginia.

MINISTER DECEASED.

Rev. George H. Norton, D. D., for some thirty-three years rector of St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, died suddenly at his home in that city, September 15th, 1893, in the seventieth year of his age. Ordained in 1846, he spent many of the first years of his ministry in Warrenton, Virginia, and removed from there to Columbus, Ohio, but in a very short time returned to his beloved Virginia (he was born in New York) as rector of St. Paul's Church, in which office he continued until his death. It is worthy of remark, that his rectorship in Alexandria and that of his predecessor, Rev. James T. Johnston, covered a period of between sixty and seventy years. Dr. Norton was too well known both in the Diocese and church at large to require any lengthened notice from me. I had known him intimately for nearly fifty years, and admired him greatly and loved him warmly. A man of humble, charitable and pure Christian character and life; remarkable for his reticence, prudence and discretion; of unusually clear and sound judgment, and possessing great ability as a preacher and speaker, he combined in an eminent degree the wisdom of the serpent and the harmlessness of the dove. For many years, and as long as his health permitted, he was a prominent and influential member of our Diocesan Council and General Convention, and to the last was one of the most valued trustees of our Theological Seminary and High School, in both which institutions, because of what he conceived to be their inestimable value to the church, he ever manifested the deepest interest. Very few of us ministers who were contemporaries of Dr. Norton remain, and when our time shall come to depart hence, may we all be found—as I am sure he was—waiting and watching and ready.

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MINISTER DEPOSED.

1893, September 18.—Rev. Robert Blair Bruce, colored Deacon, was deposed from the ministry of this church, he having voluntarily renounced the same. The record was attested by Rev. Drs. Powers and Newton, as required by Canon.

LAY READERS LICENSED.

The following Lay Readers have been licensed during the past year: Dr. C. B. Morton, Grace Church, Caroline; L. D. Aylett, C. B. Baker, and John B. Minor, Jr., Christ, Charlottesville; George P. Hodgson, St. John's, Fluvanna; Robert B. Nelson, Shenandoah, Page county; W. D. Carter, South Farnham Parish, Essex county.

SUMMARY.

Visitations	49
Confirmed (white, 518, colored, 26).....	544
Postulants received.....	8
Candidates for Priest's Orders admitted.....	6
Present number.....	23
Deacons ordained.....	9
Presbyters ordained.....	5
Minister deceased.....	1
Minister deposed.....	1
Letters Dimissory given.....	9
Letters Dimissory accepted.....	6
Lay Readers licensed.....	7
Present number of ministers (4 in Brazil and 2 colored).....	81
Number engaged in Parochial work.....	65
Number on Diocesan Missionary list	28
Number of churches and chapels (5 colored).....	159

So far as we can judge from the foregoing report there is nothing discouraging, to say the least, in the condition of the Diocese during the past year, as compared with that of the year preceding. I fear that—no doubt as a consequence of the unprecedented business depression throughout the country—the contributions to our various benevolent and religious institutions will be found to have fallen below the average of years past. I am sorry to know that this is true

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of our Diocesan Missionary Society, upon which the very life of our church may almost be said to depend. I feel that I can hardly exaggerate its importance, or the necessity for our people to contribute to its funds to the extent of their ability. The children have done nobly with their Lenten offerings, and I heartily thank them, but must earnestly exhort them and their parents and teachers not to become weary in well doing, having God's promise that in due season we shall reap if we faint not. While it is true that there are no new towns springing up or rapidly growing within the Diocese, it is also true that there yet remains much land to be possessed by our church, which is still practically unknown in large portions of a number of counties, and in one (the county of Greene) we have no services at all. If this general statement is not sufficient to show the urgent necessity for sustaining this Society then let every member and friend of our church reflect on the fact that of sixty-three white ministers engaged in parochial work, twenty-eight, or considerably more than one-third, are supported in part by the Society. This fact means that if the aid of the Missionary Society was withdrawn more than one-third of our ministers would be obliged to abandon their fields of labor, and more than one-third of the churches of the Diocese would be closed. The faithful services of these missionary pastors have been supplemented during the past year by the judicious and efficient labors of our evangelist or general missionary, Rev. E. Meade. The Executive Committee has most wisely and properly, in my judgment, decided to continue Mr. Meade in his office. Some persons may say that the consecration of Bishop Newton leaves no place for the evangelist. But their fields of labor are entirely different and distinct, and neither of them can fill the place or do the work of the other. They will both find—each in his own sphere—that they have enough of labor and care and responsibility to fill their hands and hearts.

I have no suggestions to make or plans to propose in regard to the work of the Diocese. For a fuller view of its condition I must refer you to the reports of the clergy and of our various societies and institutions.

Several years ago I obtained from the State Legislature a charter incorporating the Bethany Institute, the object being to establish a

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home for the education and training of Deaconesses in our church. This is a work which I had and still have very much at heart, believing that the order of deaconess would be found to be more important and useful than that of deacon. But the matter does not seem to have impressed others as it has me. Of course, a large sum of money would be necessary to procure a building and start the work. But the treasurer, Mr. Rosewell Page, reports only \$64.29 received and on interest in the City Bank of Richmond up to January 1, 1894. However, we have made a beginning and I do not despair, but mention the subject hoping and praying that before long God will put it into the hearts of some of his people to whom he has entrusted the means, to swell the little bank deposit which I have mentioned to thousands, so that in this Diocese, as in other dioceses and in other churches, we may have our deaconesses and all the necessary equipment for preparing them for their work.

I would call attention to what follows, being part of a letter from the Secretary of the Prayer Book Distribution Society :

STOCKBRIDGE, MASS., April 10, 1894.

Right Rev. and Dear Sir :

Permit me to send to you herewith a copy of the resolutions which were adopted at a meeting of the Trustees of the Prayer Book Distribution Society, held at the Church Missions House, in New York, on Tuesday, March 13th:

Resolved, That the especial attention of the clergy and laity of the church be called to the fact that the publishers of the 32mo. edition of the Book of Common Prayer have reduced the price to fifteen cents a copy, thereby making it practicable for all congregations to provide themselves with the Revised Prayer Book, in accordance with the direction of the General Convention.

Resolved, That whereas the reduction of the cost of the Prayer Book to fifteen cents affords substantial encouragement to Prayer Book distribution, the clergy and laity be, and they are hereby, urged to adopt measures for putting the Prayer Book into the hands of all people who are strangers to it.

Resolved, That the Secretary be requested to print the foregoing resolutions in the Church papers, and also to communicate them to the several Bishops, with the request that they will bring the subject to the attention of the people of their Diocese, and also have reports forwarded to the Secretary, on or before September 1st, of the statistics of Prayer Book Distribution in their Dioceses.

Very respectfully yours,

ARTHUR CAMENCE, *Secretary*.

Proposed Amendment to Canon XIV.

This Prayer Book Distribution Society was created by the last General Convention for the purpose of supplying everybody in the land with a copy of the Prayer Book. Of course, I would not compare any volume with *the Book*—the Bible—but our incomparable Prayer Book is so full of the words and truth of the Word of God, that I believe its distribution would do more good than the distribution of any other book in the world, next to the sacred Scriptures themselves. I wish we could form a branch of the Society and begin with the work of supplying with a copy of the Prayer Book every one in the Diocese who will receive it, and then extend our efforts to sending it throughout the whole country.

I conclude with the prayer that the Holy Spirit may direct and rule our hearts and give us a right judgment in all our deliberations, for the blessed Saviour's sake. Amen.

ELECTION OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese being next in order, the Rev. J. K. Mason nominated the following persons:

Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D.,	Mr. L. M. Blackford,
“ Henderson Suter, D. D.,	“ Charles S. Taylor,
“ P. P. Phillips,	Col. Arthur Herbert.

The Rev. Mr. Phillips was nominated as the successor of the Rev. Dr. Norton.

The Rev. H. B. Lee nominated the Rev. S. A. Wallis as a member of the Standing Committee.

The Bishop appointed the Rev. N. P. Dame and Mr. Wm. C. Marshall as tellers, who reported as a result of the vote that the persons nominated by the Rev. Dr. Mason were elected.

Bishop Whittle offered the following as an amendment to Canon XIV of the Diocese, and asked that it be referred to a committee:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CANON XIV.

Change the language of the last part of paragraph 3, beginning with the words, “four clerical and three lay delegates,” and make the last sentence read:

Proposed changes of the Constitution.

"The President of the Council shall appoint a committee to be composed of one clerical and two lay delegates, to whom shall be referred the credentials of the lay delegates, and who shall report the names of those entitled to seats to the Secretary, and of those claiming but not entitled to seats to the Council."

Rev. R. A. Goodwin presented the following:

Resolved, That the proposed amendment to the XIVth Canon be referred to two clergymen and two laymen, to report to-morrow.

Carried.

The Bishop appointed the following as the committee:

Rev. B. M. Randolph,

Mr. Wm. C. Marshall,

" J. Y. Downman,

" Jno. R. Zimmerman.

The Rev. B. M. Randolph offered the following as an amendment to the blank form of "Certificate of appointment of lay delegate to the Council," and asked that it be referred to the same committee:

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT OF LAY DELEGATE TO THE COUNCIL.

This is to certify, That at a meeting of the vestry of _____ in _____ county, held on the ____ day of _____, 18—, the following named communicants of said _____, viz: Mr. _____, as lay delegate, and Mr. _____, as alternate, were duly appointed to represent the same in the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of the Diocese of Virginia, to be holden in the city of _____, on the ____ day of _____, in the year of our Lord ____.

_____, *Rector,*
Register or Warden.

[Return original to Secretary of Council and give duplicate to delegate attending.]

On motion, it was so referred.

Major John Page offered the following as an amendment to Article II, of the Constitution, asked that it be referred to the same committee:

ARTICLE II, SECTION 2, OF CONSTITUTION.

The Council shall also be composed of lay members, consisting of one

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John S. Douglass, W. T. Snead, Jr.,
J. Robert Matthews, J. O. Warfield,
Roger C. Cowling.

The following for Deacon's Orders—viz:

William H. Steuart, Arthur Kirkby Fenton,
Thomas Semmes.

The following for Priest's Orders—viz :

Rev. J. R. Ellis,
" John F. Ribble,
Rev. O. M. Yerger,
" George C. Abbit,
Rev. C. R. Kuyk.

Consent was given for the consecration of the Rev. Dr. William Lawrence, Bishop-elect of the Diocese of Massachusetts; the Rev. Dr. T. F. Gailor, Coadjutor Bishop-elect of Tennessee; the Rev. Dr. Ellison Capers, Assistant Bishop-elect of the Diocese of South Carolina; and of the Rev. Joseph Blount Cheshire, Jr., D. D., Bishop-elect of the Diocese of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH PACKARD, *President.*

HENDERSON SUTER, *Secretary.*

Rev. Dr. Suter also presented the report of the Trustees of the Theological Seminary and Episcopal High School.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND HIGH SCHOOL.

The Trustees of the Theological Seminary and High School beg leave to report as follows :

The number of students of the Seminary during the session has been—

Senior Class.....	17
Middle Class	16
Junior Class.....	12
Preparatory Class.....	11
	—
Total.....	56

The Trustees would respectfully call the attention of the clergy to the resolution passed at the Council at Petersburg, and sanctioned again at Winchester, which asks for annual collection in each parish in behalf of the

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Endowment Fund. The sums thus given annually will materially increase, in time, the fund which is now far beneath the demands of the institution.

The abstract from the report of the Principal of the High School is hereto appended, and, with the reports of the Professors of the Seminary, attest the faithful work done at both institutions.

The Trustees cannot, in this their report, fail to express their sense of loss in the death of the Rev. George H. Norton, D. D., who for so many years met with them, and gave the help of his knowledge and wisdom.

Perfectly familiar with the whole history of the Seminary, he was an invaluable counsellor and the safest of guides.

It is not for us to speak here of his many virtues, of his sincere piety and high place in the Diocese and the Church at large, but, as his associates on the Board of Trustees, we beg leave to put on record this tribute to his long interest, great usefulness, far-seeing wisdom, and, what seemed to us, a judgment unflinching accurate.

Respectfully submitted,

H. SUTER,
for the Trustees.

REPORT OF THE DEAN AND PROFESSOR OF THE ENGLISH BIBLE.

To the Board of Trustees
of the Theological Seminary of Virginia :

As Dean, he would report that the present session has been a successful one ; that the attention of the students to their studies has been satisfactory, and we trust that God has been with us.

As Professor of the English Bible, he would report that he has pursued his usual course of instruction with the Middle and Senior Classes.

The Middle Class has studied the Psalms constantly, comparing the different versions, and referring to the Hebrew, the Septuagint, and the Vulgate.

The Senior Class has studied carefully the more difficult books of the Old Testament—Job, Ecclesiastes, Daniel, and Ezekiel.

Both classes have paid special attention to the authorship and age of the books studied. With the limited time at his disposal, he has endeavored to do all that he could in this important study.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOSEPH PACKARD.

REPORT OF PROFESSOR OF SYSTEMATIC DIVINITY AND HOMILETICS.

To the Board of Trustees
of the Theological Seminary of Virginia :

The Professor of Systematic Divinity respectfully submits the following report of the studies pursued in his classes during the current session :

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The Junior Class, for part of the session reciting once a week, have studied Chadbourne's Natural Theology, and have passed their examination on it.

The Middle Class, reciting five times a week, have studied Butler's Analogy and Knapp's Theology. The former they have finished with examination, and they are in review of the latter. To these have been added, during part of the session, recitations twice a week, as in connection with the issues of the day, Mead's Supernatural Revelation. Also, Essays on Systematic Divinity and exercises in the construction of sermons.

The Senior Class, with three recitations per week and the Wednesday evening exercise, have studied the Articles with Boulton, with reference to Burnet and Brown. They have also, in Natural Theology, studied "Hopkin's Outline Man," and Homiletics, in Dr. Broadus' book, with exercises.

I have also gone over with this class, the history of the Prayer-Book, as to its sources, material, as also its changes in the Church of England and in this country, using Dr. Butler's History, Canon Barry's Students' Prayer Book, and the more elaborate work of Blakeney, in the way of reference. Along with this, a course of lectures on Liturgics and one on Christian Ethics.

C. WALKER.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF GREEK LANGUAGE, &C., &C.

*To the Board of Trustees
of the Theological Seminary of Virginia:*

The Senior Class has read in Greek, along with the Commentaries edited by Ellicott, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, the Catholic and Pastoral Epistles, and the Apocalypse. They have also read with the Cambridge Commentary St. Luke, with exegetical essays on it. In the three years they have read the whole of the New Testament in Greek, excepting St. Mark and perhaps a portion of the Acts.

They have also studied Hooker's Ecclesiastical Polity and Butler's Protestant Episcopal Doctrine and Church Unity. They are now studying Meade on the Pastoral Office, and will study Bedell.

The Middle Class has read in Greek, with the same series of Commentaries and Beet on Romans, 1st and 2nd Corinthians, Galatians, and Hebrews. They are now reading Hebrews.

The Junior Class has read in Greek, with the same Commentaries, St. John and nearly all of St. Matthew, with parallel references to the other synoptics, and constant exegetical essays. They will also read 1st and 2nd Thessalonians.

Respectfully submitted,

KINLOCH NELSON.

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**REPORT OF PROFESSOR OF HEBREW, ORIENTAL LANGUAGES AND
APOLOGETICS.**
*To the Board of Trustees**of the Theological Seminary of Virginia:*

The Senior Class has read critically in Hebrew selected from portions of all the Prophets, analyzing the several books and studying carefully the periods and events of their ministries. The study of Hebrew Syntax continued, and special attention given to the development of Messianic prophecy.

The Middle Class has read eighteen Psalms critically, also selected portions of Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Songs, and Job, in connection with introduction to the same, special attention being given to the principles of Hebrew Poetry and their application. It has also studied Harper's Syntax.

The Juniors have read in Hebrew portions of Genesis, Exodus, Deuteronomy, and other Historical Books, mastering the elements of Hebrew Grammar and Accentuation, also the elements of Hebrew Syntax. The aim is to familiarize them with the entire range of Historical Hebrew, and for the final examination they are required to read it at sight. The Higher Criticism is thoroughly explained together with its most important application. The usual instruction in Apologetics is given supplemented by lectures.

Respectfully submitted,

A. CRAWFORD.

**REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF ECCLESIASTICAL HISTORY AND
CANON LAW.**
*To the Board of Trustees**of the Theological Seminary of Virginia:*

The Professor of Ecclesiastical History and Canon Law respectfully submits the following report :

The Senior Class has studied and been examined upon the first two volumes of Perry's History of the Church of England, which cover the period down to the silencing of Convocation in 1717, A. D. Upon the history after that date lectures have been delivered, and the class has been assigned as parallel reading the third volume of Perry, Ryle's Christian Leaders of the Last Century, Seeley's Later Evangelical Fathers, the Chapter on Methodism in Lecky's History of England in the Eighteenth Century, and Tullock's Religious Thought in Britain during the Nineteenth Century. The lectures are general discussions and criticisms of the successive phases of religious life, and are meant to be directive of investigation and private study. Each student is required to select for special study some one movement of the

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eighteenth or nineteenth century, as, for example, the Great Awakening of the Eighteenth Century, or the Evangelical Movement, or the Tractarian or Broad Church Movement, or some representative writer like Coleridge or Whately, or Arnold or Newman, or Robertson, or he may select the History of the Protestant Episcopal Church. In all cases the result of reading must be embodied in a satisfactory paper. The class is now studying the Canons of the General Church, and will be occupied with them and the concluding lectures on history until the close of the session, when there will be a general examination on the whole period since 1717. A. D.

The Middle Class has studied and been examined upon the two volumes of Smith's Students' Ecclesiastical History, and is, at present, studying Fisher's History of the Christian Church, the Reformation period. It has read as parallel reading French's Mediæval Church History. Special attention is paid in this year to the discussion and criticism of essays read in class by the students.

The Junior Class has read and been examined upon Smith's Old and New Testament Histories, and eight chapters of the Acts of the Apostles in Greek, which last have been used as a basis for the discussion of the constitution, doctrine, life and worship of the Apostolic Church. Essays are read by the class. The parallel reading assigned is the Apocrypha.

CARL ECKHARDT GRAMMER.

ABSTRACT OF ANNUAL REPORT TO TRUSTEES (1894).

Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D.,

President of the Board of Trustees:

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—As Principal of the Episcopal High School I have the honor to make the following report:

The whole number of pupils entered this session is ninety—the maximum attendance being eighty-nine.

The session has been a singularly fortunate one. Besides at least average numbers in a time of widespread financial distress, and fewer losses than ever before, the general conduct of the boys has been highly satisfactory, and their health better than in any previous session.

Liggett Hall, the building here for commencement exercises, society celebrations, readings, lectures, addresses and other public occasions, formally accepted a year ago by the Trustees from Mrs. Laura C. Liggett, as a memorial of her husband, the late Hiram Shaw Liggett, of St. Louis, a former student of the school, has since been completed. Mrs. Liggett having entrusted to me the execution of her purpose and sent the \$10,000 dedicated thereto, and the site having been chosen, under the sanction of the Executive Committee, I employed Mr. J. C. Neilson, architect, and Mr. Clinton Smith, builders, both of Baltimore—of whom I had formed favorable judg-

Report of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

ment when engaged in the improvement of the school buildings in 1891—and by them the hall was erected and furnished. It was inaugurated by a religious service the evening of Easter day, March 25th, with a sermon, the Rev. Prof. Carl E. Grammer, of the Theological Seminary, officiating. By universal consent, it is well adapted to the purpose for which intended, and a most valuable addition to the equipment of the school.

The same efforts as heretofore to throw about my charge the best safeguards and influences have been made during the past year. Mr. Walter DeForrest, of the Seminary Senior Class, has continued in charge of the Friday night devotional meeting, and the Rev. Prof. Kinloch Nelson has given us his usual monthly services and, to the boys especially, that excellent pastoral care, including extra offices during Lent, which he has so long afforded. To these gentlemen and to my able corps of assistants I am sincerely grateful.

We have had no confirmation thus far this session, but the number of communicants among the boys is thirty-seven.

Respectfully yours,

L. M. BLACKFORD.

THE LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

To the Board of Trustees

of the Theological Seminary of Virginia:

The Library, during the past year, has been kept open regularly every day, Saturday excepted, for two hours each day, viz: From 1 o'clock P. M. to 2 o'clock, and from half-past 2 o'clock to half-past 3 o'clock P. M.

Ninety-eight volumes have been added to the Library by purchase, and a few volumes by donation. Special mention should be made of "an honorary copy" of the Prayer Book, handsomely bound in vellum, the margins beautifully engraved.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. McELHINNEY, *Librarian.*

The Rev. J. K. Mason read the report of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, and moved that it be referred to the Committee on Widows' and Orphans' Fund. Carried.

REPORT OF THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Board of Managers of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund beg leave to report that the present invested fund of the Board is \$12,477. The interest from this fund, together with the receipts from collections during the past year, was something over \$1,800. Of this amount the Board distributed at its meeting on May 14, 1893, \$1,735 among twelve families of deceased clergymen.

Election of Executive Committee of the D. M. Society.

At the meeting of the Board, May 31, 1893, it was determined to confine the contributions of the Board to the *widows* and *minor* children of deceased clergymen.

The Board would gratefully call attention to the increased contributions from the churches during the past year, in consequence of special collections taken by some of our brethren, in accordance with the suggestion made by the last Council.

We earnestly ask the clergy to do likewise during the coming year, that we may be enabled to meet the increasing demands upon us.

At the recent meeting of the Board, the Secretary having resigned his position as such, the Rev. John K. Mason, D. D., was unanimously chosen Secretary of the Board.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. NEWTON.

Bishop Whittle presented the report of the Bruce Fund, which was referred to the proper committee.

Rev. J. K. Mason read the report of the Disabled Clergy Fund, which was referred to the proper committee.

The Rev. J. J. Gravatt nominated the following persons as members of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, who were duly elected:

Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle,

Rt. Rev. John B. Newton,

Rev. Jno. K. Mason,

Mr. Jno. L. Williams,

" L. R. Mason,

" Wm. F. Gray,

" R. A. Goodwin,

" Joseph Bryan,

" Pike Powers,

" Thos. Potts,

" H. Carmichael,

" John R. Wheat,

" H. B. Lee,

" B. R. Wellford,

" S. A. Wallis,

" F. D. Beveridge,

Mr. G. G. Minor.

Mr. F. H. McGuire presented the report of the Board of Managers of the Brotherhood, which was referred to the Committee on the Brotherhood.

On motion of the Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton, it was—

Annual Report of the Virginia Female Institute.

Resolved, That the committee appointed at the last Council in regard to the Virginia Female Institute be continued.

Bishop Newton then read the report of Mrs. J. E. B. Stuart, Principal of the Virginia Female Institute :

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE.

VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE,
STAUNTON, VA., *May, 1894.*

RT. REV. F. M. WHITTLE,

President of the Board of Trustees :

DEAR SIR : As Principal of the Diocesan School for girls, I wish to submit my report of the session, now near its close.

The entire number of pupils enrolled is ninety-five (95); the largest number at any one time ninety-one (91).

Our standard of scholarship continues high, and a fair proportion reach it. The general conduct is very good, and compares favorably with former years, while the general health of all has never been better.

Owing to the fact that a larger number of the pupils were communicants of the Church when entered, and several are much younger than we usually have with us, the confirmation class was small. Three were confirmed and one was baptized and united with the Presbyterian church. There is no abatement in the effort made to train these precious souls for a pure and holy womanhood, and results are encouraging.

The buildings and grounds are in good order, but each year the need of a *hall* is felt to be greater. The two last years earnest appeals have been made to the Board and Council, but not one step has been taken towards it. The Episcopal High School has had much more done for it than is asked for this school, so let me plead for immediate action. The value of this property has been greatly enhanced by the changes made in grade of street and the new enclosure, a handsome and substantial stone wall. May I not suggest the issuing of bonds, as was formerly done, or the borrowing on the property ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)? This, with what could be raised by private subscription, would very soon accomplish the proposed addition. I have now on hand about \$300, given by pupils and a few friends.

I append one of my circulars, prepared last spring for distribution, and hope some positive action upon this subject may be taken at the meeting of Council this year.

I am, very respectfully,

MRS. J. E. B. STUART.

On motion of Maj. John Page, it was referred to the Joint Committee of the Diocese of Virginia and Southern Virginia.

Centennial Anniversary of the Council.

On motion of the Rev. J. K. Mason, it was—

Resolved, That this Council go into a Committee of the Whole at 5 P. M. to consider the whole subject of the Brotherhood.

Bishop Newton presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That to-morrow at 1 P. M. the Rev. Dr. Campbell, general agent of the Virginia Bible Society, be allowed fifteen minutes to address the Council in the interest of that Society.

Mr. J. M. Garnett offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council meet next year in Christ Church, Charlottesville.

Mr. J. M. Garnett presented the following preamble and resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas the next annual Council is the One Hundredth Council in regular order, and the one hundred and tenth anniversary of the meeting of the first Council of the Diocese of Virginia, and a commemoration of this anniversary is appropriate; therefore—

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to make arrangements for a suitable historical address, and that an evening be set apart for the delivery of this address during the session of the Council.

Rev. A. Crawford, D. D., offered the following:

Resolved, That Wednesday afternoon of every Council be appropriated to the consideration of the work of the Virginia Branch of Woman's Auxiliary.

Carried.

The Chair appointed the following committee in regard to the address on the hundredth anniversary meeting of the Council:

Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton, Rev. H. B. Lee, Mr. J. M. Garnett.

Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., offered the following:

Motions, Resolutions, &c.

Resolved, That this Council invite Miss Emery to address us this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Carried.

The Rev. Dr. Suter read the report of Miss S. Stuart, Secretary of the Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. [See appendix.]

Col. J. W. Gordon, presented a petition from "Moore Memorial Church," Richmond, asking that its name be changed to "The Church of the Holy Trinity—a memorial to Bishop Moore."

On motion, the petition was granted and the name changed.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin presented the following:

Resolved, That the form of Parochial report be changed by the addition of the following words under the words "Members of the Brotherhood": Number of members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, number of members of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Rev. Mr. Goodwin moved that this resolution be referred to the Committee on Parochial Reports. Carried.

The Rev. Preston Nash offered a resolution recommending the clergy of the towns and cities of this Diocese to give a week's time to work in the country parishes.

Rev. G. W. Nelson moved that we lay this motion on the table.

This motion was lost.

Rev. L. R. Mason offered the following as an amendment to Mr. Nash's motion, which was accepted by him:

Resolved, That in the judgment of this Council its clergy should do as much missionary work outside of their own parishes as is consistent with their regular duties.

Carried.

Rev. J. W. Johnson offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Evening Session—Telegrams Received and Sent.

Resolved, That the condition of the colored work in our Diocese calls for the careful thought, the loving sympathy and the substantial aid of the rectors and congregations of the church in Virginia.

The Council then took a recess until 4 o'clock.

THURSDAY, May 17, 4 P. M.

The Council re-assembled, with Bishop Newton in the chair.

The Secretary then read the following telegram from the Diocese of Georgia:

GRIFFIN, GA., May 17, 1894.

Rev. Everard Meade, Secretary St. James' Church, Richmond, Va.:

Convention of Georgia sends greeting and congratulation on the Episcopal consecration in Virginia.

F. F. REESE, *Secretary*.

On motion of the Rev. R. A. Goodwin, the Secretary was instructed to send a suitable reply.

The Secretary sent the following:

RICHMOND, Va., May 17, 1894.

The Council of Virginia cordially reciprocates your kind greeting.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

To Rev. Frederick Reese, Secretary of the Episcopal Convention, Griffin, Ga.

Miss Julia C. Emery then addressed the Council on the subject of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Rev. R. A. Goodwin offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Council be extended to Miss Emery for her instructive and interesting address.

The chairman of the Committee on the Bruce Fund (Rev. S. S. Hepburn) presented the following report:

 Report of Committee on the Disabled Clergy Fund.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BRUCE FUND.

Your committee beg leave to report that they have examined the Treasurer's account and find that the receipts, disbursements, and vouchers are correct :

Receipts	\$8,832 64
Disbursements.....	8,753 71
Balance on hand.....	\$ 78 93

There is an invested fund amounting to \$16,070.

S. S. HEPBURN, *Chairman.*

The Rev. Carter Page, chairman of the Committee on the Disabled Clergy Fund, presented the following report :

The accounts of the Disabled Clergy Fund were examined by your committee, and were sustained by the proper vouchers.

The receipts from the churches show a falling off as compared with the previous year of \$251.60, as follows :

Receipts to May, 1893.....	\$1,675 60
Receipts to May, 1894.....	1,424 00
	\$ 251 60

The expenditures to disabled clergymen was \$1,252.75.

The Treasurer exhibited the receipt of the Trustees of the Disabled Clergy Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia for the bonds, stocks, and cash amounting to \$14,722.64, the amount apportioned to that Diocese by the committee of the two Dioceses.

There are at this time only three clergymen dependent on the Disabled Clergy Fund of the Dioceses.

The total fund set aside in the division was.....	\$12,620 50
The total amount of the fund on the 11th May, 1894, is	13,567 75

Showing a gain for the year of.....\$ 947 25

We recommend that this report of the Treasurer be published in full in the Journal for future reference, as it embraces the settlement between the Dioceses.

CARTER PAGE,
WM. A. BROCKENBROUGH.

Mr. Joseph Bryan read the report of the Committee appointed to divide the funds between the Diocese of Virginia and the Diocese of Southern Virginia, which was adopted.

Report of Committee on Division of Church Funds.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIVISION OF CHURCH FUNDS.

To the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

Your committee appointed at the last Council to carry out and effect the division of the Church funds between this Diocese and the Diocese of Southern Virginia, and to deliver on the part of this Diocese such funds and securities as the Diocese of Southern Virginia might be entitled to in the said division (Journal, page 49), beg leave to report as follows:

The Council of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, on June 7, 1893, appointed a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. W. W. Old, M. P. Burks, and N. T. Green, with full power to carry into effect on its behalf the division of said funds and property, upon the basis proposed by the committees appointed by the two Dioceses and approved by the Councils of both Dioceses at their Councils of 1893 (see Journal of Diocese of Virginia, pages 46-49; Journal of Diocese of Southern Virginia, pages 21-23).

On the 30th day of June, 1893, the two committees representing their respective Dioceses met in Richmond, Va., and with the reports of the treasurers of all the several funds, except the Bruce fund, before them, adopted a division of the following named funds—viz:

1. Of the Disabled Clergy Fund.
2. Of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.
3. Of the Episcopal Fund.
4. Of the Diocesan Missionary Fund.
5. Of the Brotherhood Fund.
6. Of the Contingent Fund and the Episcopal Residence.

The details of the division of these several funds are all given in the several statements hereto annexed, showing the division as adopted by the committees, how it has in fact been made, and to whom the moneys and securities making up the said several funds to which the Diocese of Southern Virginia was entitled have been paid or transferred.

The only instance in which the division as made by the committees were not, in fact, carried out literally, are as follows:

In the division of the Widows' and Orphans' fund the committee attempted to divide in kind one Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta railroad bond of \$1,000, and one Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad bond of \$1,000, by giving to each Diocese \$500 of said bonds, at the market value mentioned in the statement. These bonds, being coupon bonds, could not be divided in kind, but the treasurer of the fund for the Diocese

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of Virginia made sale of them and divided the proceeds, as will be seen by reference to the statement showing the actual division of said fund.

And in the division of the Episcopal fund a \$2,000 Alexandria corporation bond could not be divided so as to give the Diocese of Southern Virginia \$1,900, as ordered by the committees, but that Diocese took the additional \$100 of said bond, paying for it \$75, the valuation fixed upon it in the division by the committees.

As a part of the contingent fund the Treasurer of the Diocese of Virginia held \$5,000 Georgia Pacific railway second mortgage bonds, which, in the proposed reorganization of the Richmond and West Point Terminal properties, is to be converted into new Drexel, Morgan & Co. reorganization terminal properties at \$125. We have arranged for the division of these so that the Diocese of Southern Virginia will receive \$3,350 of these new securities when issued, and the Diocese of Virginia will receive \$2,900.

The proportion to which the Diocese of Southern Virginia was entitled from the valuation of the Episcopal residence, \$3,769 08, together with the interest thereon for seven months, \$131.92, making \$3,900, was paid to the Treasurer of that Diocese.

As the division of the several funds was not made until some time after the statements had been made by the committees, there appear many items of cash in the statements of the divisions as actually made which do not appear in the statements made by the committees, but the basis adopted by the Councils of the two Dioceses for the division, and upon which the committees acted, was preserved throughout.

The lot in Manchester, taken as a part of the Diocesan Missionary fund, stands in the name of Messrs. Joseph Bryan, Thomas Potts, and John L. Williams, trustees, who are ready to make such a deed as the Council of the Diocese of Southern Virginia may require; but the committee of that Diocese deemed it unnecessary themselves to take a deed for it, because it had been represented as desirable to sell it, and it was understood that in case of a sale of it, the trustees holding the legal title would convey it to the purchaser and account for the proceeds to the Diocesan Missionary Society. This lot was taken at the valuation of \$454.25. It lies on the north side of Stockton street, in Manchester, Va., fronting forty (40) feet on that street, and running back one hundred and twenty (120) feet.

The Bruce Fund has not yet been divided, but it has been agreed between the representatives of the respective Dioceses that it shall be equally divided, and such division will be made by the Bishop of this Diocese, in whose hands the funds are, with all convenient speed.

JOS. BRYAN,
THOMAS POTTS,
J. L. WILLIAMS.

 Report of Committee on Division of Church Funds.

COLONEL W. H. PALMER,

Treasurer of the Disabled Clergy Fund, Diocese of Virginia:

The within statement shows the distribution of the cash and securities of the Disabled Clergy Fund between the Diocese of Virginia and the Diocese of Southern Virginia, as agreed upon by the committees representing the respective Dioceses.

You will please cause to be transferred to the Trustees of the Disabled Clergy Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia so many of said securities as may appear to be due them, and to pay the cash due the Diocese of Southern Virginia to Mr. B. A. Marsden, Treasurer, the settlement to be made as of June 30, 1893:

JOSEPH BRYAN,
J. L. WILLIAMS,
THOMAS POTTS,

Committee of the Diocese of Virginia.

WM. W. OLD,
M. P. BURKS,

Committee of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

DISTRIBUTION.

DIocese OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA.

\$4,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds, 108.....	\$4,320 00	
1,000 Georgia Pacific R'y 1st bond, 90.....	900 00	
4,000 Petersburg R. R., Class A bonds, 106.....	4,240 00	
2,000 Petersburg R. R., Class B bonds, 109.....	2,180 00	
2,000 State of Virginia bonds, 67½.....	1,350 00	
1,000 Carolina Central R. R. bond, 105.....	1,050 00	
500 City of Richmond bond, 110.....	550 00	
Cash	132 64	
		<u>\$14,722 64</u>

DIocese OF VIRGINIA.

\$3,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds, 108.....	\$3,240 00	
1,000 Georgia Pacific R'y 1st mort. bond, 90.....	900 00	
4,000 Petersburg R. R., Class A bonds, 106.....	4,240 00	
1,000 Petersburg R. R., Class B bonds, 109.....	1,090 00	
2,000 State of Virginia bonds, 67½.....	1,350 00	
500 City of Richmond bond, 110.....	550 00	
Cash	1,250 00	
		<u>12,620 50</u>
		<u><u>\$27,343 14</u></u>

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Received of WM. H. PALMER, Treasurer of the Society for the Relief of Disabled Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia :

Four Richmond and Danville Railroad Company consolidated gold bonds of \$1,000 each with the coupon due July 1, 1893, and January 1, 1894, attached, registered in the names of the Trustees of the Disabled Clergy Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, Nos. 2428, 1640, 4428, 2108.....	\$ 4,320 00
Certificate of Drexel, Morgan & Co. and the Central Trust Co., New York, No. 1106, in the name of B. A. Marsden, Treasurer, for \$1,000—Georgia Pacific Railroad Company 1st mort. bond, endorsed, with interest advanced at 5 per cent. to January 1, 1894.....	900 00
Four Petersburg Railroad Class A bonds, Nos. 391, 392, 336, 516, interest at 5 per cent., interest paid to January 1, 1894, and coupon due July 1, 1894, attached, registered in the name of the Trustees of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.....	4,240 00
Two Petersburg Railroad Co. Class B bonds, Nos. 329 and 734, 6 per cent., interest collected to October 1, 1893, and coupon attached due April 1, 1894, registered in the names of the Trustees of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.....	2,180 00
Two State of Virginia coupon bonds, Nos. 6223, 6222, interest collected to January 1, 1894, and coupon attached due July 1, 1894, interest at 3 per cent. (these bonds are not registered)..	1,350 00
One Carolina Central 1st mort. bond, 6 per cent., interest collected to January 1, 1894, and coupon attached due July 1, 1894, No. 1,696, not registered. No arrangement for registration.....	1,050 00
Bond of the City of Richmond, No. 15,787. Registered in the names of the Trustees of the Disabled Clergy Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia for \$500.....	520 00
Cash as explained by the cash settlement below.....	132 64
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	\$14,722 64

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

CASH SETTLEMENT.

Cash sent December 19, 1893, to B. A. Marsden, Treasurer Diocese of Southern Virginia, as requested			\$600 00
Express on Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds to New York to be registered			80
			<u>\$600 80</u>
Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds have the July, 1893, and January, 1894, coupons attached to the bonds.			
Georgia Pacific coupon 5's, \$1,000,			
	July 1, 1893,	25 00	
	Jan. 1, 1894,	25 00	
		<u>50 00</u>	
Petersburg R. R. Co., \$4,000 "A" bonds, 5's,			
	July 1, 1893,	100 00	
	Jan. 1, 1894,	100 00	
		<u>200 00</u>	
Petersburg R. R. Co., \$2,000 "B" bonds, 6's,			
	Oct. 1, 1893, coupons,		60 00
State of Virginia 3 per cent. bonds, \$2,000,			
	July 1, 1893,	30 00	
	Jan. 1, 1894,	30 00	
		<u>60 00</u>	
Carolina Central R. R. bonds, \$1,000, 6's,			
	July 1, 1893,	30 00	
	Jan. 1, 1894,	30 00	
		<u>60 00</u>	
City of Richmond, \$500,			
	July 1, 1893,	15 00	
	Jan. 1, 1894,	15 00	
		<u>30 00</u>	
Cash balance due by statement above		132 64	
			<u>592 64</u>
Balance due Diocese of Virginia			<u>\$ 8 16</u>

Received the bonds and cash as above set forth.

E. & O. E.

A. S. LOYD,
LEGH R. WATTS,
WALTER H. TAYLOR,
R. H. BAKER,
B. A. MARSDEN,

Trustees of the Disabled Clergy Fund Diocese Southern Virginia.

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

MR. E. B. ADDISON,

*Treasurer of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund,**Diocese of Virginia:*

The within statement shows the distribution of the cash and securities of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund between the Diocese of Virginia and the Diocese of Southern Virginia, as agreed upon by the committees representing the respective Dioceses.

You will please cause to be transferred to the trustees of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia so many of said securities as may appear to be due them, and to pay the cash due the Diocese of Southern Virginia to Mr. R. C. Taylor, treasurer of said fund. The settlement is to be made as of June 30th, 1893.

JOS. BRYAN,
J. L. WILLIAMS,
THOMAS POTTS,

Committee of the Diocese of Virginia.

WM. W. OLD,
M. P. BURKS,

Committee of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

JUNE 30th, 1893.

Amount on hand per Treasurer's report on January 1, 1893, including all collections up to that date, and deducting all payments to beneficiaries.....	\$2,584 21
Deduct receipts subsequent, November 23d, to January 1st, 1893, included in Treasurer's report.....	169 74
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	\$2,414 47
Add any income from investments or interest since January 1st, 1893, to date of division not included in Treasurer's report, which includes interest, &c., up to May 1, 1893—say, 6 months' interest on \$1,000, Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R. bond, received May 4th, 1893.....	30 00
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	<u>\$2,444 47</u>

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BONDS FACE AND MARKET VALUE.

8,000 Petersburg R. R. Class B bonds, at 109.....	\$8,720 00	
1,000 Char., Col. and Augusta R. R. 7 per ct. bonds, at 110.....	1,100 00	
1,980 City of Richmond 6 per ct. bonds, at 110.....	2,178 00	
2,000 Sloss Iron and Steel Co. 1st bonds, at 90.....	1,800 00	
9,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. 6 per ct. bonds, at 108.....	9,720 00	
1,000 Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R. 6 per ct. bond, at 107.....	1,070 00	
		<u>\$24,588 00</u>
		<u>\$27,032 47</u>
Diocese of Southern Virginia..... 53.844	\$14,555 36	
Diocese of Virginia..... 46.156	12,477 11	
		<u>\$27,032 47</u>

DISTRIBUTION.

DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA.

4,000 Petersburg R. R. Class B bonds, at 100.....	\$4,360 00	
5,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds, at 108...	5,400 00	
1,000 Sloss Iron and Steel Co. 1st bonds, at 90.....	900 00	
1,380 City of Richmond 6 per ct. bonds, at 110.....	1,518 00	
500 Char., Col. and Augusta R. R. bonds, at 110...	550 00	
500 Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R. bonds, at 107.....	535 00	
Cash.....	1,292 36	
		<u>\$14,555 36</u>

DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

4,000 Petersburg R. R. Class B bonds, at 109.....	\$4,360 00	
4,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds, at 108...	4,320 00	
1,000 Sloss Iron and Steel Co. bonds, at 90.....	900 00	
500 Char., Col. and Augusta R. R. bonds, at 110..	550 00	
500 Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R. bonds, at 107.....	535 00	
600 City of Richmond bonds, at 110.....	660 00	
Cash.....	1,152 11	
		<u>12,477</u>
		<u>\$27,032 47</u>

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

received of E. B. ADDISON, *Treasurer of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, for the benefit of Widows and Orphans of deceased Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia:*

1000 Petersburg R. R. coupon bonds, "B," 6 per ct., at 109...	\$ 4,360 00
1000 Richmond and Danville R. R. coupon bonds, gold, 8 per ct., at 108.....	5 400 00
1000 Sloss Iron and Steel Co. coupon bonds, 1st mort. bonds, 6 per ct., at 90.....	900 00
1380 City of Richmond bonds, 6 per ct., at 110.....	1,518 00
500 Char., Col. and Augusta R. R. coupon bonds, 2d mort., 7 per ct., at 110.....	550 00
500 Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R. Co. coupon bond, 1st mort., 6 per ct., at 107.....	535 00
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	\$13,263 00
Cash as per committees report, see cash settlement below...	1,292 36
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	\$14,555 36

NOTE.—The two bonds—viz: The Char., Col. and Augusta R. R., and the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R. Co's bonds, named above, were not delivered to the Treasurer of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, for the reason they were for \$1,000 each and non-registered coupon bonds, and could not be divided as directed by the committees of the two Dioceses; hence were sold and proceeds of same were equally divided. See cash settlement below for items of distribution of these bonds.

CASH SETTLEMENT.

DEBIT.

Cash remitted Treasurer of Diocese of Southern Virginia, by check on City Bank, Richmond, Va., January 6, 1894.....	\$1,000 00
Interest on above remittance to April 1, 1894.....	10 44
Cash remitted Treasurer of Diocese of Southern Virginia, by check on City Bank, Richmond, Va., April 1, 1894.....	938 09
Cash remitted Treasurer of Diocese of Southern Virginia, by check on the City Bank, Richmond, May 9, 1894.....	991 16
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	\$2,939 69

CREDIT.

Pro rata share of proceeds of sale of two bonds per account of sale of Messrs Jno. L. Williams & Sons, as follows:

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\$1,000 Char., Col. and Augusta R. R. 7 per ct. coupon bond, at 93.....	\$ 930 00
\$1,000 R., F. & P. R. R. 8 per ct. coupon bond, at 107	1,070 00
May, 1894, coupon attached to R., F. & P. R. R. bond..	30 00
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	<u>\$2,030 00</u>

One-half of same due Diocese of Southern Virginia, per Committee's report..... \$1,015 00

Subsequent collections (to April 1, 1894), divided on the per centage furnished by the two committees, as follows:

6 months' int. on deposits in bank, to June 30, 1893...	\$ 44 32
12 months' int., \$1,980, Richmond city bonds, to January, 1894.....	119 80
12 months' int., \$2,000, Sloss Iron and Steel Co. bonds, to February, 1894.....	120 00
12 months' int., \$8,000 Petersburg R. R. bonds, to April, 1894.....	480 00
6 months' int., \$1,000, R., F. & P. R. R. bonds, to November, 1893.....	30 00
6 months' int., \$9,000, Rich. & Dan. R. R. bonds, to July, 1893.....	270 00
6 months' int., \$1,000, Char., Col. & Augusta R. R. bonds, to October, 1893.....	35 00
Interest on all of the above amounts to April 1, 1894..	75 26

Total.....	<u>\$1,174 38</u>
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Pro rata share of Diocese of Southern Virginia, 53.844%	632 33
Cash balance as per statement above.....	<u>1,292 36</u>
	<u>\$2,939 69</u>

Received the bonds and cash as set forth above.

(Signed)

O. S. BARTEN,
JAMES R. HUBARD,
WALTER S. IRVINE,
R. C. TAYLOR,
J. B. FUNSTEN,

Trustees of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

To the Trustees of the Episcopal Fund of the Diocese of Virginia:

The within statement shows the distribution of the cash and securities of the Episcopal Fund between the Diocese of Virginia and the Diocese of Southern Virginia, as agreed upon by the committees representing the respective Dioceses.

You will please cause to be transferred to F. S. Taylor and W. B. Martin, Trustees of the Episcopal Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, so many of the said securities as may appear to be due them, and pay to the said trustees the cash due the said Diocese of Southern Virginia, the settlement to be made as of May 1, 1893.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
JOHN L. WILLIAMS,
THOMAS POTTS,
For the Diocese of Virginia.

WILLIAM W. OLD,
M. P. BURKS,
For the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

EPISCOPAL FUND.

JUNE 30th, 1893.

Amount of cash on hand May 1, 1893 (Treasurer's report)\$ 540 55

BONDS—FACE AND MARKET VALUE.

\$3,600 Alexandria corporation bonds, 75.....	2,700 00
4,000 Charlottesville and Rapidan 1st mort bonds, 100.....	4,000 00
2,500 Virginia Midland R'y, 5th series bonds, 96.....	2,400 00
1,000 " " 6th " 100.....	1,000 00
200 " " 2d " 108.....	216 00
105 " " 3d " 100	105 00
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Diocese of Southern Virginia, 53.844%	\$ 5,902 14
Diocese of Virginia 46.156%	5,059 41
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	\$10,961 55
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	<u>\$10,961 55</u>

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

DISTRIBUTION:

DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA.

\$1,900	Alexandria corporation bonds, 75.....	\$ 1,425 00	
2,000	Char. and Rapidan 1st mort. bonds, 100.....	2,000 00	
1,500	Va. Midland R'y, 5th series bonds, 96.....	1,440 00	
1,000	" " 6th " 100.....	1,000 00	
	Cash.....	37 14	\$5,902 14

DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

\$1,700	Alexandria corporation bonds, 75.....	\$ 1,275 00	
2,000	Char. and Rapidan 1st mort. bonds, 100.....	2,000 00	
1,000	Va. Midland R'y, 5th series bonds, 96.....	960 00	
200	" " 2d " 108.....	216 00	
100	" " 3d " 105.....	105 00	
	Cash.....	503 41	5,059 41
			<u>\$10,961 55</u>

 STATEMENT OF THE DIVISION OF CASH AND BONDS FOR THE SOUTHERN
 DIOCESE, MADE MAY, 1893.

\$1,900	City of Alexandria bonds, 75.....	\$ 1,425 00	
2,000	Char. and Rapidan, 1st mort., 100.....	2,000 00	
1,500	Va. Mid. R. R., 5th series, 96.....	1,440 00	
1,000	" " 6th series, 100.....	1,000 00	
	Cash.....	37 14	\$5,902 14
	Amount of cash.....	\$ 37 14	
	July, 1893. C. and R. coupon.....	\$ 60 00	
	Jan., 1894. " ".....	60 00	
	July, 1893. Alexandria coupon (\$2,000).....	30 00	
	Jan., 1894. " ".....	30 00	
	March, 1893. Va. Midland coupon.....	62 50	
		\$242 50	
	Less collections and express charges.....	1 20	
		\$241 30	
	Less \$100 Alexandria bond sold you in order to make division.....	75 00	
		<u>\$166 30</u>	\$ 203 44

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY FUND.

Settlement between John L. Williams, Treasurer of Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia, and M. P. Burks and Wm. W. Old, Committee of Diocese of Southern Virginia :

1892—Nov. 24. Balance at credit of Society of this date.....	\$	980	09
Diocese of Southern Virginia, 53.844%	\$	527	72
Diocese of Virginia, 46.156%		452	37
			<u>980 09</u>
Amount due Diocese of Southern Virginia, as above.....	\$	527	72
Check previously given.....	\$	300	00
Check given this day.....		227	72
			<u>527 72</u>

Richmond, June 30, 1893.

Settlement between the Trustees of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia and M. P. Burks and Wm. W. Old, Committee of the Council of the Diocese of Southern Virginia :

1892—Nov. 24. Amount at credit of Trustees of Diocese of Va...	\$1,499	63
Amount spent on Hope Chapel		454 25
		<u>\$ 1,953 88</u>
Diocese of Southern Virginia, 53.844%	\$	1,052 05
Diocese of Virginia, 46.156%		901 83
		<u>1,953 88</u>
Amount due Diocese of Southern Virginia, as above.....	\$1,052	05
Value of lot in Manchester assigned to them.....	\$	454 25
Check given this day.....		597 80
		<u>\$1,052 05</u>

 THE BROTHERHOOD FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

Amount of cash on hand.....	\$	806	17
\$2,000 City of Manchester bonds, at 100.....		2,000	00
			<u>\$2,806 17</u>
Diocese of Southern Virginia, 53.844%	\$1,510	95	
Diocese of Virginia, 46.156%		1,295	22
			<u>2,806 17</u>

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

DISTRIBUTION.

DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA.

\$1,000 City of Manchester bonds, at 100.....	\$1,000 00	
Cash.....	510 95	
		<u>\$1,510 95</u>

DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

\$1,000 City of Manchester bonds, at 100	\$ 1,000 00	
Cash.....	295 22	
		<u>1,295 22</u>
May 1st, 1893.		<u>\$2,806 17</u>

To CYRUS BOSSIEUX, *Esq.*,

Treasurer of the Brotherhood of the Diocese of Virginia :

The above statement shows the distribution of the cash and securities of the Brotherhood Fund between the Diocese of Virginia and the Diocese of Southern Virginia as agreed upon by the committee representing the respective Dioceses.

You will please cause to be transferred to the Treasurer of the Diocese of Southern Virginia so many of the said securities as may appear to be due it, and pay to the said Treasurer the cash due the said Diocese of Virginia, the settlement to be made as of May 1, 1893.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
J. L. WILLIAMS,
THOMAS POTTS,

Committee of the Diocese of Virginia.

WM. W. OLD,
M. P. BURKS,

Committee of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

PETERSBURG, VA., *April 10, 1894.*

Memorandum of property in my hands, temporarily, belonging to the "Brotherhood Fund" of the Diocese of Southern Virginia:

1894—Feb. 12. Received from Mr. Cyrus Bossieux, Treasurer of the Brotherhood Fund of the Diocese of Virginia, this date, cash..... \$ 510 95

Also, two Manchester, Va., city coupon 6 per cent., J. and J. bonds of the denomination of \$500 each.

THE "DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA,"

By FORTESCUE WHITTLE, *Treasurer.*

 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

The settlement of the Treasurer of the Diocese of Virginia, made with me in the final division of his funds, was accompanied by a statement, of which the following is an exact copy :

CONTINGENT FUND.

Balance on hand as per statement to Committee.....		\$10,312 25
Amount paid F. Whittle, Treasurer Diocese of Southern Virginia, charged in said account.....		2,000 00
Interest on deposits from 1st January, 1893.....		44 00
Interest on loan to E. D. Christian and J. T. Gray, from Jan. 1..		90 00
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		\$12,446 25
Deduct expenses of C. M. Blackford.....	\$ 39 00	
C. J. Falkner.....	7 80	
G. H. Norton.....	2 65	
Deduct Bishop Whittle's salary and expenses from 1st November to November 24.....	238 80	
Georgia Pacific Railway, int. due by estate W. R. Quarles	125 00	
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		413 25
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		\$12,033 00

STOCK, FACE AND MARKET VALUE.

5,000 Georgia Pacific Railway 2d mort. bonds, converted at 125 into new Drexel, Morgan & Co., Reorganization Terminal properties—say, \$6,250.00, at 50.....	3,125 00
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EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE.

Valued at.....		7,000 00
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		\$22,158 00
Diocese of Southern Virginia, 53.844%.....	\$11,930 75	
Diocese of Virginia, 46.156%.....	10,227 25	
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		22,158 00
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 Report of the Committee on Division of Church Funds.

DISTRIBUTION.

DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA.

3,350 New D., M. & Co. Reorganization Terminal properties, at 50.....	\$ 1,675 00	
Interest in Episcopal Residence.....	3,769 08	
Cash.....	6,479 05	
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DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

2,900 New D., M. & Co. Reorganization Terminal properties, at 50.....	1,450 00	
Interest in Episcopal Residence.....	3,230 92	
Cash.....	5,553 95	
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		\$22,158 00
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Cash due Diocese of Southern Virginia, as above.....	\$ 6,479 05	
Interest in Episcopal residence....	\$ 3,769 08	
Seven months' interest on same.....	131 92	
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		\$10,380 05
Less payments.....		3,000 00
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Due Diocese of Southern Virginia	\$ 7,380 05	
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And this sum (\$7,380.05) I received from J. T. Gray, Treasurer, 31st July, 1893, I having previously received the \$3,000 as charged. Total from this source, \$10,380.05.

THE "DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA,"

By FORTESCUE WHITTLE, *Treasurer*.*Petersburg, Va., April 1, 1894.*

Mr. Joseph Bryan read the report of the Trustees of the funds of the Diocese of Virginia, attached to which was a resolution.

Report of the Incorporated Trustees.

REPORT OF THE INCORPORATED TRUSTEES.

The trustees of the funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia (incorporated) report that in accordance with the act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved February 2, 1892, which will be found printed in the Journal of the Council for 1892, page 79, the trustees met on the 2d day of May, 1894, and organized, by the election of Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle as President, and Mr. F. H. McGuire as Secretary of the corporation.

A plan for the conduct of the business of the corporation was referred to a committee, who, at a subsequent meeting, made a report presenting a series of By-laws, Rules and Regulations for the government of the corporation.

The recommendations of this report were adopted in substance, and they provided—

1st. For a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer ; the duties of the latter offices being permitted to be discharged by one person.

2d. For the appointment of standing committees on Finance, the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, the Episcopal Fund, the Bruce Fund, and for such other committees as might be further provided for in the By-laws. The members of these committees and their respective chairmen to be appointed by the President.

3d. For two general meetings of the trustees each year—viz: the annual meeting on the second Wednesday of May, and a regular meeting on the second Wednesday of November, both to be held in Richmond, Va. Special meetings to be called at any time by the President, or by any five of the trustees, upon one week's notice.

4th. Vacancies in the trustees to be created by death, resignation, inability or refusal to act, or removal from the Diocese.

5th. The duties of the respective officers to be such as are usually discharged by such officers. The duties of the Secretary and Treasurer are detailed with particularity.

6th. All the stocks, bonds, or other evidence of debt which may be transferred to the corporation to be deposited in some safe deposit and trust company, in its care and custody, to be changed or removed only upon an order signed by the three members of the Finance Committee, countersigned by the Treasurer.

The interest dividends and all collections from the securities so deposited to be collected by the safe deposit and trust company, and placed to the credit of the Treasurer, who shall pay out all sums as directed by the Finance Committee. The Treasurer to give bond for the faithful discharge of his duties.

 Report of the Incorporated Trustees.

7th. The Finance Committee to have charge of all the funds of the corporation, and to direct the Treasurer in all matters of collection and investment and of disbursement, except where otherwise provided. The other committees to have charge respectively of the disbursement of the annual receipts of their respective funds. Payments to be made by the Treasurer upon the order of the chairman of the committee.

Such, in brief, is the general plan for the management of the funds of the church.

It is expected that the committees will interest themselves in securing contributions to their respective funds—a separate account being kept for each, not only of what is now on hand, but of what may be hereafter contributed.

In order that the funds in the hands of the respective treasurers may be passed over to this corporation, the trustees recommend the adoption by the Council of a resolution authorizing and directing such transfer. A form of a resolution deemed adequate for this purpose is hereto appended.

The death of the Rev. C. J. Gibson, D. D., and of the Rev. T. G. Dashiell, D. D., and the removal from the Diocese and resignation of the Rev. J. B. Funsten, and the resignations of Col. Arthur Herbert and Mr. C. R. Hoof, all charter members of this corporation, have created vacancies which, under the terms of the charter, must be filled by election by the trustees from persons to be nominated by the Council. The act requires each vacancy to be filled by the selection of one of two or more persons nominated therefor by the Council. As there are three vacancies among the clerical trustees and two among the lay trustees, the trustees propose for nomination by the Council the following names of clergymen and laymen, not, however, affecting in any way the right of the Council to make any other nominations they may deem proper: Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton, Rev. J. K. Mason, Rev. L. R. Mason, Rev. Hartley Carmichael, Rev. R. A. Goodwin, Rev. Preston Nash, Rev. Angus Crawford, and Messrs. J. M. Taylor, James M. Ball, Thos. Potts, James N. Boyd, and L. M. Blackford.

The names presented by the trustees are mostly of persons residing in Richmond, as experience has shown the importance of having members of the committees of the several funds easily accessible to each other.

The resolution recommended for adoption by the Council is as follows:

Resolved by the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, That W. H. Palmer, Treasurer of the Disabled Clergy Fund; E. B. Addison, Treasurer of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund; L. M. Blackford and Julian T. Burke, Trustees of the Episcopal Fund; J. T. Gray, Treasurer of the Contingent Fund; and Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, Treasurer of the Bruce Fund, all of the Diocese of Virginia, be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to transfer and deliver all the stocks, bonds, notes, or other evidences of debt and cash in their possession, respectively, to the

 Report of the Treasurer of the Brotherhood.

Trustees of the Funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, or to such person or company as they may direct, and the receipt of such trustees, or their duly authorized officer or agent, shall be a full acquittance of said treasurers respectively.

Respectfully submitted,

May 16, 1894.

JOS. BRYAN,
F. H. MCGUIRE.

On motion of Mr. L. M. Blackford, the report of the Committee was received and the resolution adopted.

Mr. Bryan's report also suggested the following list of names for the adoption of the Council, said list to be returned to the Trustees of the Trust Fund of the Diocese, that they may select some names to fill vacancies with:

Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton,	Rev. Angus Crawford,
Rev. J. K. Mason,	Mr. J. M. Taylor,
" L. R. Mason,	" James M. Ball,
" H. Carmichael,	" Thomas Potts,
" R. A. Goodwin,	" James N. Boyd,
" Preston Nash,	" L. M. Blackford.

Mr. Thomas Moore moved that these names be duly nominated.

Carried.

Rev. A. Crawford, D. D., offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Bishop of the Diocese be requested to utilize so many of the students of the Theological Seminary of Virginia as may desire service, and he may approve, in doing summer work in the various parishes and missions of the Diocese, and that this Council hereby express its willingness to aid the Bishop in this endeavor.

Mr. L. M. Blackford read the report of Mr. Cyrus Bossieux, Treasurer of the Brotherhood.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE BROTHERHOOD.

RICHMOND, VA., May 15, 1894.

REV. EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary of the Council*:

MY DEAR SIR: There has been one death of a beneficiary member of the Brotherhood since the meeting of the Council in May last—viz: Rev. Geo.

 Foreign Missions.

H. Norton, D. D., who requested that no collection be made for the benefit of his family.

The sum of \$341.33 has been collected during the year for the family of the late Rev. T. G. Dashiell, D. D.

By instruction from the Committee on the Division of Funds, I remitted to Fortescue Whittle, Treasurer of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, the following:

Two \$500 city of Manchester bonds.....	\$1,000 00
Check on the Citizen's Bank of Richmond.....	510 95
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Which leaves on hand:	\$1,510 95
Two \$500 city of Manchester bonds	\$1,000 00
Cash in Citizen's Bank of Richmond	497 45
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	\$1,497 45

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Treasurer Brotherhood P. E. Church.

The Council then adjourned till 8:15.

THURSDAY, 8:15 P. M.

The Council assembled for the service in the interest of Foreign Missions at the appointed hour. Bishop Newton presided.

The service was read by the rector, Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D.

The Rev. L. R. Mason was the first speaker, after which Bishop Peterkin made an address on the work in Brazil.

An offering was then taken for Foreign Missions, and after prayer by the Bishop of West Virginia the Council adjourned to meet Friday at 9:30 A. M.

Report of the Committee on Diocesan Missionary Society.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, RICHMOND, VA.,
FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1894.

The Council met for Divine service. The Rev. J. R. Ellis read the service, and the sermon was preached by the Rev. F. W. Neve.

After Divine service the Council was called to order by the Bishop. The minutes, after some corrections, were approved.

The Secretary read a telegram from the Bishop of North Carolina :

WINSTON, N. C., May 17, 1894.

The REV. EVERARD MEADE,

Secretary of the Council of the Diocese of Virginia, Richmond, Va.

The Convention of the Diocese of North Carolina responds to the Christian greetings of the Virginia Council, and specially wishes them God speed in connection with the service of yesterday.

JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE, JR.,
Bishop of North Carolina.

The Rev. H. B. Lee read the report of the Committee on the Diocesan Missionary Society :

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The undersigned committee have examined the report of the Treasurer, and find the same correct and sustained by the proper vouchers. Five checks have not yet been presented to the bank.

The committee were favorably impressed with that part of the report of the Executive Committee which told of the work of the Evangelist, and we earnestly recommend the continuance of the appropriation for the services of the Evangelist.

H. B. LEE, *Chairman*,
GEORGE C. ABBITT,
R. C. FITZHUGH,
W. C. MARSHALL.

Rev. H. B. Lee offered the following :

Resolved, That the Council recommend to the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society that they continue the appropriation for the salary of the Evangelist.

Carried.

 Report of the Committee on Parochial Reports.

Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., presented the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council request each clergyman to get his Sunday-school to appropriate their offerings of one Sunday of each month to Diocesan Missions.

The Rev. J. J. Gravatt read the report of the Committee on Parochial Reports:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Your committee beg leave to report that they have received from the 131 churches named in last year's Journal 103 reports, against 94 received last year. We are glad to note a continued improvement in the making up of said reports, but would urge the use of regular blanks, which will be furnished by the Secretary.

Your committee having been instructed by the Council to revise the form of the parochial report beg leave to submit the following summary:

Baptisms—Adults, white, 160; colored, 10. Total	170
Infants, white, 516; colored, 18. Total.....	534
Grand total	704
Confirmations—White, 462; colored, 21. Total.....	483
Communicants—White, 8,845; colored, 122. Total.....	8,967
Marriages—White, 171; colored, 11. Total.....	182
Funerals—White, 525; colored, 11. Total.	536
Sunday-schools—White, teachers, 994; scholars, 6,658. Total..	7,652
Colored, teachers, 49; scholars, 676. Total...	725
Grand total.....	8,377
Sunday-school contributions.....	\$4,008.27
Sunday-school scholars confirmed.....	154
Parochial schools—Paid teachers, 6; scholars, 171. Total.....	177

 Proposed Changes in the Form of Parochial Reports.

Members of the Brotherhood.....	177
Total contributions.....	\$153,462.94

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. GRAVATT, *Chairman*,
 WM. B. LEE,
 JOSIAH R. ELLIS,
 C. WOOLNOUGH,
 CH. J. SALE,
 F. D. BEVERIDGE.

Rev. J. J. Gravatt also presented the report on the proposed changes in the form of Parochial Reports.

Amendments were offered by Rev. J. K. Mason and the Rev. R. A. Goodwin.

Bishop Newton offered the following:

Resolved, That the whole subject be laid on the table.

The ayes and noes being called for, the vote was ayes 29, noes 25.

The resolution was adopted.

Rev. N. P. Dame offered the following:

Resolved, That a place for collections for colored work be made in the form of Parochial Reports.

Carried.

Rev. B. M. Randolph offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed, with the Secretary as chairman, empowered, with the approval of the Bishop and Assistant Bishop, to revise the form of Parochial Reports.

The Chair appointed Rev. E. Meade, Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., and Mr. Wm. C. Bentley.

 Report of the Committee on Sunday Schools.

Rev. N. P. Dame read the report of the Committee on Sunday schools.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

From the 103 Parochial reports presented to the Bishop at this meeting of the Council we gather the following statistics:

Teachers—White	994
Colored	49
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	1,043
Scholars—White.....	6,658
Colored	676
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	7,334
Contributions	\$4,008.27
Sunday-school scholars confirmed only.....	154

While we have not been able in the brief time at our command to make any minute comparison between these figures and the figures of last year, the indications are that there have been considerable gains in this department of the church's work, except in the last item—the number of scholars confirmed.

Of the great importance of the Sunday-school in the Church's system there is no question among us. Nor is there any need for your committee to point out how high a place the Sunday-school occupies among Christian activities. But, perhaps, it would not be out of place for us to offer a few general suggestions with regard to the Sunday-school and its work.

The first of these suggestions is, that the distinctive work of the Sunday-school is the bringing up of the children of the Church in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, to win their young hearts for Christ, to teach them to hate sin and to forsake it, and to walk in the ways of God all the days of their life. In one word, the peculiar work of the Sunday-school is to take the baptized children of the Church and to help them realize their profession, which is to be made like unto Christ and to do His work in the world; to fight manfully under His banner against sin, the world and the devil, and to continue Christ's faithful soldiers and servants.

There is danger, it seems to us, lest, in these days, this work may be obscured in the minds of both ministers and people by the increasing use of the Sunday-school as a money-raising agency. The constant and urgent appeals to the children to raise money for all sorts of Church work have, we are persuaded, already done injury in some cases. Let the children be taught to give regularly, systematically, cheerfully, above all, to give from

Report of the Committee on Sunday Schools.

the right motive, because it is Christian, it is in accordance with the will of Christ so to do. But do not ever let the children have ground to imagine that the Sunday-school is primarily a money-making organization, or worse still, that the Church cares for the Sunday-school chiefly for what it can get out of the little children; that it is a mine to be worked for the gold that is in it.

In the second place, we would like to emphasize the well-known fact that the **POWER**—the only power—by which this work is to be done successfully is the power of the Holy Spirit, not the peculiar gifts of the teacher, nor yet the peculiar excellence of some system or method of instruction.

This power will be manifested, under proper conditions, through the **WORD OF GOD**. Faith cometh by hearing that word, in the heart of the child, as well as in the heart of the adult. We would urge on rectors and teachers the importance, then, of instructing the children of the church in the plain words and teaching of Jesus wholly apart from any theories or opinions of men, even of the wisest and best of men. For it will ever remain true that the "seed is the word of God." Next to the plain word of God itself, we place, of course, the Church's Catechism as the truest and simplest compendium of the essential teaching of that word.

Again, we would insist that this work of teaching and training the church's children in Christian truth and in Christian living is not, as is so often said, the peculiar task of the *minister*. It is the **CHURCH'S** work. It is the task of the congregation as an organized body, including both minister and people, both head and members; and the people are just as responsible for it as the minister.

The minister and congregation are not two separate agencies, each having its own work and its own responsibilities, and working together at times for mere convenience' sake. They constitute together but one agency, and that of divine appointment. They are as closely related, as absolutely necessary to each other, as the two parts of a pair of shears. They constitute together a great spiritual battery. We look for the manifestation of the power chiefly at the poles, but we should look in vain did the cups or jars fail of their office.

Now God has so wrought minister and people together; he has placed them in a position of such absolute dependence on each other, that He will grant the Spirit's richest blessing on the minister's and teachers' efforts in the Sunday school or in any other department of the church's work, only in response to united, earnest, expectant prayers of the people.

In few words, then, your committee would urge on those who have charge of the Sunday school work, (1) that they see that the spiritual work of the Sunday school be kept constantly in view; (2) that they depend upon and pray and look for the Holy Spirit as the power by which this work is to be done; (3) that the pure word of God be ever regarded as the channel through which

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the Holy Spirit will operate upon the hearts of the children, and all "systems of instruction" are of value only as they teach the sacred Scriptures; and (4) that the people be taught that the Sunday school work is *their* work; that those who teach in the school are the agents of the congregation, and urge upon the people that they all pray daily for God's richest blessing upon the labors of those who are engaged in the difficult and often thankless task of teaching the children of the church.

N. P. DAME,
W. M. CLARK,
L. R. MASON,
F. H. MCGUIRE,
JOHN TEMPLE,
W. T. SNEAD.

Mr. B. O. James read the report of the Committee on Clerical Support.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CLERICAL SUPPORT.

From the sixty-five parishes and one hundred and twenty-six churches and chapels shown by the last Journal to be in the Diocese, only seventy-seven reports of church treasurers have been received. It is manifestly impracticable to base an accurate report, or deduce satisfactory results from such imperfect data. Only thirty-six churches report rectories, whilst it is well known to your committee that many other churches have rectories.

The following churches report having paid more to the rector than they promised: St. Margaret's Church, Caroline; Emmanuel Church, Fauquier; St. James', Louisa; St. Stephen's, Fauquier; Trinity, Prince William; St. Paul's, Prince William; Falls, Fairfax; St. Paul's, Hanover; All Saints, Goochland. Sixty churches reported having paid their rectors in full.

The following churches failed to pay their rectors the amount promised:

	Amount due.
St. Paul's, Albemarle.....	\$10 00
St. Timothy, Fairfax.....	11 62
Church of Our Saviour, Fauquier.....	14 70
St. James the Less, Hanover.....	25 00
St. John's, Louisa.....	67 00
St. John's, Rappahannock	30 00
Acquia, Stafford.....	50 00

Very respectfully submitted,

B. O. JAMES, *Chairman.*

Reports of the Committees on the Brotherhood and Finance.

Maj. R. Taylor Scott, for the Committee on the Brotherhood, reported the sum of \$341.33 had been paid to the heirs of the Rev. T. G. Dashiell, and that \$1,510 95 had been paid to the Treasurer of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, leaving in his hands \$1,497.45.

Mr. John F. Glenn, for the Board of Managers appointed at the session of the Council held in Winchester last year to take control of the affairs of the Brotherhood of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, reported that on investigation they found that the Brotherhood is a close corporation, chartered by the Legislature of the State, over which the Council has no control, and therefore they were unable to act under its resolution.

Mr. Joseph Bryan read the report of the Committee on Finance.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

The Committee on Finance report that they have examined the accounts of Mr. James T. Gray, Treasurer, and have found them well and accurately stated, and his disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

They recommend that the Treasurer be directed to pay to the Rt. Rev. T. U. Dudley, D. D.; to the Rt. Rev. H. M. Jackson, D. D.; to the Rt. Rev. Ellison Capers, D. D., the expenses by them respectively incurred in attendance upon the consecration of the Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton.

Your committee desire to urge upon the Church at large in the Diocese the absolute necessity of the full payment of the quotas assessed on each parish for the general expenses of the Diocese, including the salaries of our Bishop and Assistant Bishop, in fixing whose salaries the special Council assumed that full payment would be made by the respective parishes when the necessity therefor should arise. That necessity has arisen. We have no margin now as heretofore between the assessments and our necessities.

The committee would therefore called the attention of the rectors and vestries to the fact that the Church does not lay an assessment of \$1 on each communicant, but fixes the assessment upon the various parishes at the rate of \$1 for each of its communicants, and that those who are able are expected and urged to contribute whatever may be necessary to pay the assessment upon their respective churches, that there may be no deficit.

In this connection your committee would report that from those churches which are now included in the present Diocese of Virginia there were reported for the year 1892, 8,774 white communicants, and the payments for the contingent fund that year amounted to \$6,741; for 1893, 8,778 communicants and \$6,513 paid—a falling off of \$228.

Report of Committee on the State of the Church.

Up to the time of this report the Treasurer has received from churches reporting 4,504 communicants only \$3,352.73.

It is not thought that this depressing ratio of payments will be observed by those churches which have not yet reported or paid, as but very few of the city churches have been heard from. These facts emphasize the necessity of increase diligence in the collection and payment of the assessments.

The Treasurer will keep his accounts open until the 7th day of June for the receipt of the assessments, and all payments made before that day will be received and credited as if paid now.

We recommend that a special collection be taken up in those churches, where other methods fail, to obtain the sum necessary to meet the assessment.

We recommend that in addition to the salaries provided for the Bishop and the Assistant Bishop by the special Council in January, 1894, their travelling expenses be paid by the Treasurer.

We recommend that the sum of \$25 be paid to the Assistant Secretary of this Council for his services.

We recommend that the sum of \$15 be paid to the sexton of this church for his services during the Council.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
J. M. GARNETT,
J. G. WILLIAMS,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX.

The Rev. Dr. Campbell, of the Presbyterian church, then addressed the Council on the subject of the Bible Society's work in Virginia.

Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., offered the following :

Resolved, That the thanks of the Council be tendered Dr. Campbell for his earnest address.

Carried.

Rev. S. A. Wallis read the report of the Committee on the State of the Church.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The Committee on the State of the Church would respectfully report :

That with unfeigned thankfulness to Almighty God they have listened to the address of our revered Bishop, and the reports presented to this Council, which show the continued prosperity of our church in this Diocese, and

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pray that a larger increase of grace and spiritual gifts through the power of the Holy Ghost may be ours through the coming year.

We also give thanks for the measure of health and strength vouchsafed to our beloved Bishop, which has enabled him in part to fulfil again his ministry, which has been so blessed of God for more than a quarter of a century; and our fervent prayer is that he may long be spared to aid us by his ripened experience, Godly wisdom, and the benediction of his presence in our annual councils and parochial visitations. We assure him of our deep veneration, love and appreciation of his work over us in the Lord, and of our heartfelt sympathy in the bereavement which has taken from his side the partner of his life's joys and sorrows, praying that the God of all consolation may ever be with him and his.

In the election and consecration of our beloved brother, Rev. John B. Newton, to the Episcopate, we rejoice in the manifest evidence of the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Having made good proof of his ministry as an earnest preacher of the word, and faithful pastor of the flock, approved in all positions in which he has been called to serve, whether in this Diocese or the Councils of the general church, we have full confidence that he will worthily fill the higher office now committed to his trust, and with unswerving loyalty to the faith once delivered to the saints, and to the Book of Common Prayer, will jealously guard the sound doctrine, reverent usage, and the sacred traditions of the church in Virginia.

Passing now to what we feel to be the imperative needs of the hour, we would do our part in commending the great missionary work of the Diocese to this Council. We have the old parishes, especially in Tidewater Virginia, to nurture and support. Weak as many of them undoubtedly are, they are still alive, as is shown by the number of young men offering themselves from their bounds to the work of the ministry, and by the devotion of their people to the church of their fathers. Shall we fail them in the hour of their need? Ought not those portions of the Diocese to whom God has given more abundant prosperity help these old churches, around which so many historic associations gather, to keep their doors open until the returning tide of prosperity gives them the strength of former days. Then there are large areas of this Diocese where our church is yet unknown. In one county there have never been the stated services of the church, and in twenty three counties there are only fourteen ministers. You see that there remains much land to be possessed. The time is ripe. The old opposition to our church has passed away. As one of our ministers has declared, "In every country school-house we can gather a congregation." If we believe in the apostolicity of our church should we not labor by every means in our power to help our advance guards at missionary posts to hold their position, and to send out others for building up the spiritual wastes until they become as the garden of the Lord. We can do this if we will. There is

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enough money among our people belonging to the Lord as His required portion. May the Spirit dispose us to liberal offerings of the Lord's money, and enable us as a Diocese to rise up to the needs of the hour.

The Bishop has again earnestly commended the Bethany Institute for the training of deaconesses to the church in the Diocese. Like him, we believe this important institution will yet be established, but why not now? We know of young women who are compelled to go to institutions in other Dioceses who would gladly be trained in Virginia if this institute were an accomplished fact. As the work of deaconesses is more and more recognized in the church we will undoubtedly lose many of our best daughters in the coming years, or else if they return to us, there is danger that they will have received training and imbibed views at variance with the teachings of the prayer book and the usage of this church. We earnestly hope that the words of our Bishop may shortly bring forth fruit in the establishment of this institution for deaconesses on a sound basis, knowing what a blessing it will be to our Diocese.

The Woman's Auxiliary has witnessed a year of large development and increase in power and efficiency. While recognizing the material aid it has given to missionaries in this Diocese and elsewhere, we will call the attention of this Council to it as a great and unifying centre of work for the women of the church. Before its establishment bands of faithful women were working here and there, not realizing how much more effectual their labors would be if they were united in one common bond of interest, guided by leaders who know the needs of the wide mission field, and could direct the streams of benevolence for the Master's sake into wider channels of ministering service. So great has been the growth of the Auxiliary we believe only a few years will elapse before a branch is found actively working in every parish.

Among our various Macedonian calls none should be more heeded than that which comes from the colored race. We have been so interested in the division of the Diocese, in the missionary work among our white population, and in the development of the Women's Auxiliary that the question may be asked, have we not lost sight of Ethiopia in our midst blindly stretching forth her hands unto God? How little has been done by us for this people! Would not the few churches of our communion for this race in our Diocese be shut up if it were not for contributions from other Dioceses? Virginia was not unmindful of her duty to this race in the past. Ought she to let its cry rise unheeded now? It seems to us this people needs the scriptural, catechetical and liturgical training of our Church. We are responsible for giving it to them. To this end we think it would be well for the Council to show its interest in this work by recommending an offertory to be taken up in the churches of this Diocese for it, and providing a place for recording the amount of these contributions in our parochial reports. In addition,

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wherever possible, special services should be held by our clergy for colored people in country parishes, as well as in towns and cities, believing that God's blessing will attend our faithful efforts in this behalf.

Your committee cannot close without noting an improvement in church music in the Diocese. They respectfully suggest that rectors should avail themselves of the wealth of fine hymn tunes contained in the new musical editions of the hymn book, and of the great settings of the canticles by recognized ecclesiastical composers, thereby avoiding all light and inappropriate music in the service of the sanctuary. They also recommend that rectors should enlist in the musical service of the Church the aid of those members of the congregation who have vocal power and musical ability, thus making the common praise of God a voluntary service by His people in His holy temple.

In conclusion, your committee commend the beloved Church in this dear old Diocese to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, and pray that by the influence of the Holy Spirit it may become, as years roll by, more and more a power for the advancement of the kingdom of Christ.

SAMUEL A. WALLIS,
HARTLEY CARMICHAEL,
PRESTON NASH,
EDW. VALENTINE JONES,
GEO. A. BARKSDALE,
R. CARTER WELLFORD,
H. J. LEWIS.
R. POWELL PAGE.

Rev. B. M. Randolph read the report of the committee to whom was referred the amendment proposed by the Bishop in Canon XIV, and also his own amendment to the form of Parochial Reports, by which the number of members of the St. Andrews' Brotherhood and of the Women's Auxiliary should be added to the form of Parochial Reports.

These amendments being put before the Council separately, were adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Randolph also reported that the change proposed by Major John Page in the Constitution in regard to vestrymen being elected for twelve months, was deemed inexpedient by the committee.

The report was adopted.

Committee on Church Finance in our Diocese.

Rev. E. Meade presented the following resolutions, which were adopted :

1. *Resolved*, That the Secretary be authorized to have printed eight hundred copies of the Journal of 1894, with the Canons as an appendix.
2. *Resolved*, That three hundred copies of the Canons, separate from the Journal, be printed.

Rev. Everard Meade offered the following :

Resolved, That a committee of two, one clergyman and one layman, be appointed to examine the condition of the Secretary's office and report to next Council.

Carried.

The Bishop appointed the following committee :

Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., Mr. F. H. McGuire.

Rev. N. P. Dame presented the following :

Resolved, That a committee of three (two clergymen and one layman) be appointed to consider the whole subject of Church Finance in our Diocese, as to both principles and methods, and to make such suggestions as may seem to promise improvement in this department of our church work, and to report at the next Council.

Adopted.

The Chair appointed the following as the committee:

Rev. N. P. Dame, Rev. John P. Tyler, and Mr. Albert Baker.

Rev. J. R. Ellis moved that the Brotherhood be made the order for 5 o'clock this afternoon. Carried.

The Council then took recess till 4 P. M.

ST. JAMES CHURCH. Friday, 4 P. M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Bishop Newton presided.

Lay Representation in the Council.

Rev. N. P. Dame offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Council extend its most cordial thanks to the good people of Richmond for their hospitality; to the rectors and vestries of the several churches for their care and trouble for the Council; to the choirs of the Monumental and St. James' churches for their excellent music and faithful attendance on the meetings and services of the Council; to the Committee on Hospitality for their careful arrangements for the entertainment of the Council, and to the one little page, Master Pope Nash, a host in himself, for his ready assistance in transacting the business of the Council.

Mr. F. H. McGuire presented the following:

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed, to whom shall be referred the question of lay representation in the Diocesan Councils of the Church in Virginia, to report to the next Council.

Carried.

The Chair appointed the following committee:

Rev. R. A. Goodwin,	Mr. Joseph Bryan,
" S. S. Hepburn,	" F. H. McGuire,
Maj. R. Taylor Scott.	

Rev. J. R. Ellis presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Corporators of the Brotherhood of the Protestant Episcopal Church be earnestly requested to reorganize the same at an early day, and to take immediate and effective steps to put the same actively upon its feet.

After reading the minutes, and appropriate religious services, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

F. M. WHITTLE, *President*.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

IN MEMORIAM

THE REVEREND

George H. Norton, D. D.

Born in the State of New York.

Ordained in Virginia on July 10th, 1846.

Preached his first sermon in St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, where, forty-seven years afterwards, he preached his last.

His ministry was spent in the following places: Warrenton, Va., five years; Columbus, Ohio, one year; St. Paul's, Alexandria, five years. A part of this last-named period was spent as follows: a few months during the first year of the Civil War as Chaplain of the 17th Va. Regiment, and the remaining years of the war as temporary Rector of Grace Church, Lexington, Virginia.

Resuming his rectorship at St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, at the close of the war, he continued his active and earnest labors until the close of his life.

He was a prominent and influential member of our Diocesan Council and General Convention, and a Trustee of the Theological Seminary and High School.

Died suddenly, September 15th, 1893, in the 70th year of his age.

"They rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

LIST OF OBJECTS

FOR WHICH

actions have been Recommended

BY THE COUNCIL.

- Diocesan Missionary Society, in Advent.
Treasurer, Mr. JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Richmond*.
- Foreign Missions, in Epiphany.
Remit to the Treasurer of the Foreign Committee, Bible
House, *New York*.
- Disabled Clergy Fund, at Christmas.
Treasurer, Mr. WM. H. PALMER, *Richmond*.
- Widows' and Orphans' Fund, in Lent.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.
- Education Society, in June.
Rev. HENDERSON SUTER, D. D., *Alexandria*.
- Virginia Bible Society, second Sunday in November.
Treasurer, Mr. THOMAS F. MINOR, *Richmond*.
- Protestant Episcopal Church Home.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.

APPENDIX.

Treasurers' and Parochial Reports, &c.,

FOR 1894.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA,

in account with J. L. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

1893.		RECEIPTS.	
May	15—Balance this date.....	\$4,545	22
	22—Lady near Leesburg.....	5	00
	Rev. Joseph F. Mitchell, Petersburg.....	5	00
	23—Calvary Church, Front Royal.....	7	00
	Meade Memorial, White Post.....	2	85
	30—Meade Memorial Sunday-school, White Post.....	7	79
June	1—St. Paul's, Essex, by Rev. E. Meade.....	4	02
	St. John's, Essex, by Rev. E. Meade.....	4	11
	Mite box at Walkerton, by Rev. E. Meade.....	40	
	Trinity Church, Manassas, by Rev. E. Meade.....	2	00
	Leed's, Fauquier, by Rev. E. Meade.....	7	58
	St. Martin's, Hanover, by Rev. E. Meade.....	1	46
	St. Thomas' Church, Orange.....	5	00
	Zion Church Sunday-school, Fairfax.....	4	05
	Christ Church, Loudoun.....	7	50
	2—Christ Church Sunday-school, Winchester.....	76	08
	5—Moore Memorial Church Sunday-school, Richmond...	105	82
	Washington Parish, Westmoreland.....	6	00
	7—Christ Church, Winchester.....	17	26
	Mrs. Alice E. Southall, Charles City, from five little children.....	1	00
	8—A friend, Richmond, Va.....	5	00
	10—A Student Theological Seminary.....	1	00
	Miss Mary Spencer, Cumberland county.....	2	24
	19—Woman's Missionary Society St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, for quarter ending June 1.....	20	21
	Special offering.....	20	20
		40	41
	24—Zion Church Sunday-school, Fairfax C. H., additional,	1	00
	26—Children of J. B. Bland, Chula.....	2	54
	Diocese of Southern Virginia, part cost of publishing "Our Diocesan Work".....	50	00
July	1—St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline, by Rev. E. Meade....	1	52
	Zion Church, Fairfax county, by Rev. E. Meade.....	9	93
	Trinity Church, Manassas, by Rev. E. Meade.....	1	53
	3—A friend, through Dr. P. Powers.....	12	50
	In memoriam Miss M. B. H.....	12	50
	Mrs. John E. Wright, Jr., Hodges' Ferry.....	1	00
	11—Christ Church, Alexandria.....	13	70
	22—Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	12	00

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Aug. 11—	St. Thomas' Church, Frederick county.....	75
	Washington Parish, Westmoreland.....	3 95
	Montross, Westmoreland.....	1 07
19—	St. John's Church, Scottsville, by Rev. E. Meade.....	1 25
	Christ Church, St. Anne's Parish, Albemarle, by Rev. E. Meade.....	7 25
	St. John's Chapel, Louisa, by Rev. E. Meade.....	95
	Emmanuel Church, King and Queen, by Rev. E. Meade	10 00
	St. John's, Warsaw, by Rev. E. Meade.....	2 60
22—	Calvary, Culpeper.....	1 50
	Abingdon, Gloucester.....	2 00
26—	St. James', Ashland.....	11 35
29—	Christ, Culpeper.....	2 50
30—	Mr. James F. Ball, Ditchley, Va.....	50
Sept. 2—	Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.....	4 50
	11—Grace Church, Berryville.....	6 00
	Christ Church, Alexandria.....	11 35
	14—St. Luke's, Essex.....	5 00
	Grace, Fauquier, Rev. J. J. Norwood.....	7 75
	Trinity, Fauquier.....	5 75
	15—St. James', Westmoreland, by Rev. E. Meade.....	1 60
	St. Paul's, Westmoreland, by Rev. E. Meade.....	95
	St. Paul's, Prince William, by Rev. E. Meade.....	4 50
	Mount Calvary, Loudon, by Rev. E. Meade.....	5 00
	Quantico, Dumfries, by Rev. E. Meade.....	1 75
	22—Pohick Church Sunday-school, Fairfax.....	8 00
Oct. 4—	Grace, Fauquier, Rev. J. J. Norwood.....	5 50
	6—St. Paul's, Culpeper.....	10 00
	St. David's, King William.....	5 00
	9—Christ Church Parish, Lancaster.....	10 00
	14—Christ Church, Spotsylvania C. H., by Rev. E. Meade,	2 50
	St. John's Chapel, Louisa, by Rev. E. Meade.....	2 75
	Buck Mount Church, by Rev. E. Meade.....	9 25
	Christ Church, Charlottesville, by Rev. E. Meade.....	25 50
	17—St. Paul's, Hamilton.....	5 60
	18—Fall's Church, Fairfax.....	4 50
	Sunday Eggs, Rectory, Herndon, Va.....	2 00
	St. Peter's Church, Westmoreland.....	5 10
	Childrens' Missionary Society, Westmoreland.....	2 90
	St. James', Westmoreland.....	1 00
	Member of Trinity Church, Marshall, Va., Rev. J. J. Norwood.....	20 00
	23—St. Peter's, Port Royal.....	2 50
	24—S. E. E., Madison C. H., Va.....	2 00

Diocesan Missions.

Oct.	25—Overwharton Parish, Stafford county.....	6 00
	30—Grace, Cassanova.....	2 83
Nov.	4—St. James', Leesburg.....	50 00
	13—St. John's, Columbia.....	4 50
	Piedmont Church, Madison C. H.....	2 00
	16—Leed's Parish, Fauquier.....	5 00
	Christ Church, Chantilly.....	3 91
	St. Timothy, Herndon.....	1 69
	20—Westover Parish, Rev. G. C. Abbitt.....	9 65
	21—Monumental Branch of Woman's Auxiliary, Richmond	10 00
	22—Grace, Bremono Bluff.....	6 25
	A widow, through Bishop Whittle.....	7 50
	28—"Church of Our Saviour," Fauquier, Rev. J. J. Norwood	6 55
	St. Anne's Parish, Essex.....	2 00
Dec.	2—Mrs. S. S. Hepburn, Old Church.....	3 00
	4—Emmanuel, Harrisonburg.....	6 56
	5—Trinity, Washington, Va.....	3 25
	6—St. David's, Aylett's, Rev. E. Meade.....	2 79
	St. John's, West Point.....	4 20
	8—St. James', Montross.....	3 50
	Washington Parish, Oak Grove.....	1 50
	9—Mrs. F. S. Scott, Madison Run.....	3 00
	Westover Parish, Charles City.....	1 27
	13—Grace, Berryville.....	5 33
	14—A friend, through Rev. H. Suter.....	20 00
	14—Grace, Albemarle.....	12 86
	St. John's, Louisa.....	7 36
	16—Trinity Church Branch of Woman's Auxiliary, Fredericksburg.....	5 36
	Grace Memorial, Rockingham.....	10 00
	18—Cople Parish, Westmoreland.....	7 62
	19—Grace Church, Fauquier, Rev. J. J. Norwood.....	9 23
	Trinity, Fauquier, Rev. J. J. Norwood.....	6 01
	Rev. J. H. Birkhead.....	8 80
	Abingdon Parish, Gloucester.....	5 89
	Ware Parish, Gloucester.....	2 79
	20—"F," through Dr. Powers.....	1 00
	28—A friend, Goochland.....	15 00
	In memoriam, Goochland, Miss M. B. H.....	15 00
	30—Ladies' Sewing Society St. James', Richmond.....	125 00
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Jan.	2—Westover Parish, Charles City.....	1 00
	St. James' Parish, Ashland.....	11 98

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Jan.	3—John G. Williams.....	
	4—Emmanuel Church, Henrico.....	4
	Mrs. Parke C Bagby, Richmond.....	
	St. John's, King George.....	
	Emmanuel, King George.....	
	5—Trinity, Port Haywood.....	
	Christ. Port Haywood.....	
	St Margaret's Chapel, Caroline	
	9—Childrens' Missionary Society, Westmoreland.....	
	Woman's Missionary Society St. Paul's, Alexandria...	
	11—Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	
	17—Member of Christ Church, Ridley Parish.....	
	Member of St. Paul's, Ridley Parish.....	
	St. Luke's Mission Church, Essex.....	
	19—Churches in St. Martin's Parish.....	
	22—Mrs. Kate A. Hackett, Poindexter's Store.....	
	St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper	
	29—Mrs. S. V. B. Tabb	
	Mrs. J. S. Davis, University of Virginia.....	
	Trinity Church, Mathews county.....	
	Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	
Feb.	1—Rev. James Grammer.....	
	2—Barboursville, by Rev. E. Meade.....	
	St. Paul's Chapel, Gordonsville (colored), by Rev. E. Meade.....	
	St. Mary's, Goochland, by Rev. E. Meade.....	
	5—A friend, Charles City.....	
	M. P. Burks, Treas., for "Dio. Work," January 1, 1893, to December 1, 1893.....	
	7—St. James' Church, Louisa.....	
	Christ Church, Louisa.....	
	Mrs. C. R. Harrison.....	
	13—St. Thomas' Parish, Frederick.....	
	M. P. Burks, Treas., amount paid by us to Rev. W. W. Brander, from Jan. 1, 1893, to July 1, 1893.....	
	Mrs. R. S. Stringfellow, Mitchell's.....	
	St. Paul's Church, King George.....	
	24—Episcopal High School Missionary Society.....	
	26—S. E. T., Madison C. H.....	
March	2—Christ Church, Loudoun county, by Rev. E. Meade....	
	Mt. Calvary, Loudoun county, by Rev. E. Meade.....	
	St. Paul's, Loudoun county, by Rev. E. Meade....	
	St. Mary's, Goochland, by Rev. E. Meade.....	

Diocesan Missions.

March	2—St. David's, King William, by Rev. E. Meade.....	4 63
	St. David's Sewing Society, King William, by Rev. E. Meade.....	5 00
	7—Rev. J. H. Birckhead.....	6 55
	21—Grace Memorial, Rockingham.....	10 00
	22—Christ and Trinity Churches, Mathews county.....	9 20
	Miss Louise Finch, Powhatan, B. H. Frayser.....	50
	26—Mite-box Bessie Galt, Tracy's Landing, Md.....	1 40
	Sarah C. Wiatt, Saluda.....	1 50
	Ministering Childrens' League, Grace Church, Fauquier	10 00
	W. L. Waring, Jr., Richmond.....	3 91
	27—Emmanuel Sunday-school, Rapidan.....	5 68
	Grace Church Sunday-school, Berryville.....	47 27
	28—Fall's Church Sunday-school.....	11 51
	Trinity Church Sunday-school, Washington.....	14 00
	Whittle Parish, Fauquier, Rev. J. J. Norwood.....	15 77
	Mrs. Flora Stuart, Staunton.....	10 00
	Virginia Female Institute, Staunton, S. S.....	26 36
	29—St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.....	100 00
	St. George's Sunday-school, Fredericksburg.....	100 00
	30—Grace Church, Berryville.....	20 00
	Cunningham Chapel Parish Sunday-school, Clarke co.	39 34
	31—St. Andrew's, Richmond.....	15 89
April	2—A friend, through Rev. H. Suter.....	30 00
	Grace Church, Richmond.....	106 18
	St. Peter's, New Kent.....	16 00
	St. John's Church, Richmond county, by Rev. E. Meade	8 02
	Emmanuel, Richmond county, by Rev. E. Meade.....	6 21
	St. John's, West Point, by Rev. E. Meade.....	70
	Christ Church, Goresville, by Rev. E. Meade.....	9 00
	Christ Church Sunday-school, Goresville, by Rev. E. Meade.....	5 17
	St. Paul's, Hamilton, by Rev. E. Meade.....	11 00
	Mt. Calvary, Round Hill, by Rev. E. Meade.....	1 56
	Mt. Calvary Sunday-school, Round Hill, by Rev. E. Meade.....	7 80
	3—St. James' Sunday-school, Ashland.....	26 87
	St. Paul's Sunday-school, Hamilton.....	17 57
	St. Paul's, Hamilton, additional collection.....	7 28
	Emmanuel Church Sunday-school, Harrisonburg.....	14 22
	Daingerfield Children, Ky.....	2 00
	Emmanuel Church, Henrico.....	509 06
	4—St. John's Church Sunday-school, West Point.....	16 30

Treasurer's Account,

- April 4—St. James' Church, Richmond.....
 St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond.....
- 5—Christ Church, Culpeper.....
 Christ Church Sunday-school, Culpeper.....
 Calvary Church, Culpeper.....
 Calvary Sunday-school, Culpeper.....
 St. Luke's Mission Church, Essex.....
 Christ Church Sunday-school, Alexandria.....
- 6—Ladies' Aid Society, Washington Parish.....
 Children's Missionary Society, Washington Parish.....
 Children's mite-boxes, Sunday-school, Washington Ph.
 Collection at St. Peter's, Washington Parish.....
 Sunday-school, Haymarket.....
 Williams and George Wickham, St. Paul's, Hanover..
- 7—Ware Church, Gloucester.....
 Ware Church Sunday-school, Gloucester.....
 Abingdon Church Sunday-school, Gloucester.....
 Holy Innocent's Chapel Sunday-school, Gloucester...
 Christ Church Parish, Lancaster.....
 White Chapel Sunday-school.....
 Grace Church.....
 Trinity Church, Lancaster.....
 Wicomico Chapel, Northumberland.....
 Oakland, Washington and Texas, grandchildren.....
- 9—St. Margaret's Chapel Sunday school, Ruther Glen....
 St. Luke's Mission Sunday-school.....
- 10—Trinity Church Sunday-school, Manassas.....
 Christ Church, Luray, by Rev. E. Meade.....
 Christ Sunday-school, Luray, by Rev. E. Meade.....
 Calvary, Page, by Rev. E. Meade.....
 Calvary Sunday-school, Page, by Rev. E. Meade.....
 Zion Church, Fairfax.....
 St. James', Ashland.....
- 11—Florence Grubbs, children of Fork Church, Hanover..
 Jennie and Annie B. Cooke, Fork Church, Hanover...
 Aquia Church and Clifton Chapel Sunday-school, Staf-
 ford.....
- 12—St. Thomas' Church, Orange.....
 St. Thomas' Sunday-school, Orange.....
- 13—Christ Church, Culpeper, additional.....
 Christ Church Sunday-school, Charlottesville.....
 St. John's Church, Glendower.....
 St. John's Church Sunday-school, Glendower.....

Diocesan Missions.

April 13—Christ Church, Glendower.....	3 00
Christ Church Sunday-school, Glendower	3 70
Howardsville, Glendower.....	1 00
16—St. Peter's Church, New Kent, Rev. E. Meade ...	2 26
St. Peter's Church Sunday-school, New Kent, additional, Rev. E. Meade.....	1 09
St. James' Sunday-school, Richmond, additional	75
17—Calvary Sunday-school, Front Royal.....	11 25
Wickliffe Church, Clarke county	11 22
Wickliffe Missionary Society, Clarke county.....	27 60
18—Churches in King George.....	55 00
Kingston Parish, Mathews county, Sunday-school....	10 98
St. James', Louisa, Sunday-school.....	10 00
Christ Church, Gordonsville, Sunday-school.....	10 39
Calvary Church, Brandy Station, Sunday-school, additional	1 00
Pohick Church Sunday-school, Fairfax.....	17 00
Olivet Church Sunday-school, Fairfax.....	3 00
Leeds Parish Sunday-school, Fauquier.....	26 55
19—Monumental Church, Richmond, Sunday-school.....	159 48
20—St. James' Church, Montross, Sunday-school	3 11
St. James' Church, Montross.....	1 27
Whittle Parish, Fauquier, Rev. J. J. Norwood.....	22 61
St. John's Church Sunday-school, Columbia	9 53
St. Thomas' Church Sunday-school.....	6 00
Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland, additional.....	58
Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland, Sunday-school, add'l..	7 63
St. Paul's, Westmoreland.....	42
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Westmoreland.....	1 56
St. James', Westmoreland.....	1 81
Grace Church, Berryville.....	14 21
23—Emmanuel Church, Old Church, Va.....	11 01
Geo. E. Perrine, St. Andrew's, Richmond.....	2 00
St. Stephen's Church Sunday-school, Culpeper.....	19 35
St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Culpeper.....	10 40
St. Paul's Church, Culpeper.....	15 00
Christ Church Sunday-school, Alexandria, additional ..	5 00
St. Stephen's Church, Fauquier	12 00
Grace Church, Fauquier.....	5 50
St. Luke's Church Sunday-school, Fauquier.....	5 30
Collection	1 00
Abingdon Church, Gloucester.....	1 75
Abingdon Church Sunday-school, Gloucester, add'l...	2 82

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April	23—Ware Parish Sunday-school, Gloucester, additional . . .	1 31
	25—St. Timothy's Church, Herndon	5 00
	St. Timothy's Church Sunday-school, Herndon	14 05
	Christ Church Sunday-school, Chantilly	2 65
	Christ Church, Chantilly	3 30
	Falls Church, Fairfax	4 40
	Falls Church Sunday-school, Fairfax, additional	1 00
	Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland, additional	4 40
	Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland, additional	60
	St. John's Church Sunday-school, Tappahannock	17 90
	St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Essex	4 10
	Emmanuel Chapel, King and Queen county	6 23
	St. Peter's Church, Port Royal	25 00
	Grace Church, Caroline	2 74
	27—St. Paul's Church, Richmond	203 40
	30—St. Andrew's Sunday-school, Mt. Jackson	8 00
	Emmanuel Sunday-school, Woodstock	14 00
	Beckford Parish, Shenandoah	28 00
	Whittle Parish, The Plains, additional	4 20
	St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Alexandria	72 44
	St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Alexandria, special offering	46 20
	St. James' Sunday-school, Richmond	215 30
	Church of Our Saviour Sunday-school, Hanover county	3 00
	St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Richmond, Va.	170 50
May	1—Grace Church (additional) Sunday-school, Caroline county	1 00
	St. Andrew's Church, Richmond, Va.	10 10
	2—Grace Memorial Church, Rockingham	10 00
	St. John's Church, Warsaw	4 80
	St. John's Church Sunday-school, Warsaw	12 30
	3—Christ Church, Richmond, Va.	25 40
	Westover Parish, Charles City	20 51
	St. Thomas' Parish, Frederick county	1 00
	Grace Church, Bremo Bluff	7 50
	Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg	2 20
	4—Women's Missionary Society, St. Paul's Church, Alexandria	141 47
	Trinity Church, Sunday-school, additional, Washington, Va.	2 00

\$10,186 30

Diocesan Missions.

DISBURSEMENTS.

1893.			
May	16—Rev. R. C. Jett	62	50
	19—Rev. S. O. Southall	43	75
June	1—Rev. E. Meade—Salary	\$125	00
	Expenses	16	85
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		141	85
	2—Rev. J. F. Ribble	50	00
	Rev. Carter Page	25	00
	5—Rev. Josiah R. Ellis	50	00
	7—Rev. D. C. T. Davis	37	50
	Rev. Preston Nash	25	00
	8—Rev. J. H. Birkhead	62	50
	19—Rev. J. W. Keeble	37	50
	24—Rev. Job Turner	25	00
July	1—Rev. E. Meade	140	00
	Rev. John McNabb	37	50
	M. P. Burks paid Diocesan Missionary Society of South- ern Virginia their share of assets of D. M. S. of Va., as of November 24, 1892:		
	Paid November 28, 1892	\$300	00
	Paid June 30, 1893	227	72
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		527	72
	Paid Hunter & Co., June 10th	9	75
	3—Rev. W. W. Brander	50	00
	Rev. R. A. Castleman	37	50
	4—Rev. J. S. Hansbrough	50	00
	6—Rev. J. Hervey Hundley	50	00
	Rev. W. C. Latané	68	75
	Rev. S. S. Ware—paid July 6th	50	00
	20—Rev. Josiah R. Ellis	50	00
	Rev. R. C. Jett	48	60
	21—Rev. T. M. Ambler	12	50
	One hundred stamped envelopes	2	20
	22—Rev. E. B. Burwell	43	75
	28—Rev. D. Funsten Ward	50	00
	Rev. J. C. Gray	25	00
	31—Rev. Preston Nash	25	00
Aug.	2—Rev. W. B. Williams	25	00
	3—Rev. Chas. S. Harrison	37	50
	Rev. Pike Powers	125	00
	7—Rev. S. S. Hepburn	25	00

Treasurer's Account,

Aug.	11—Rev. W. B. Everett.....		
	Rev. W. B. Williams, services as assistant treasurer....		
	19—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125	00
	Expenses.....	15	60
Sept.	4—Rev. J. H. Birkhead.....		
	15—Rev. D. C. T. Davis.....		
	Rev. J. F. Ribble.....		
	16—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125	00
	Expenses.....	17	30
	20—Rev. R. A. Castleman.....		
	30—Rev. J. W. Keeble.....		
Oct.	2—Rev. David Funsten Ward.....		
	Rev. W. W. Brander.....		
	4—Rev. John McNabb.....		
	Rev. J. S. Hansbrough.....		
	Rev. W. C. Latané.....		
	Rev. Josiah R. Ellis.....		
	5—Rev. Thos. P. Baker.....		
	6—Rev. S. S. Hepburn, check 20; retained for col. 5.....		
	7—Rev. Carter Page.....		
	8—Rev. J. B. Newton expenses to commission.....		
	9—Rev. E. B. Burwell.....		
	11—Rev. J. Hervey Hundley.....		
	12—Rev. T. M. Ambler.....		
	13—Rev. S. S. Ware.....		
	14—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125	00
	Expenses.....	13	20
	30—Rev. Arthur C. Thomson.....		
	31—Rev. Pike Powers.....		
Nov.	1—Rev. W. B. Everett.....		
	2—Rev. Preston Nash.....		
	7—Rev. Thos. P. Baker.....		
	Rev. W. B. Williams.....		
	10—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125	00
	Expenses.....	4	80
	Rev. Chas. S. Harrison.....		
	Rev. W. B. Williams, services as treasurer.....		
	16—Rev. Arthur C. Thomson.....		
Dec.	4—Rev. Carter Page.....		

Diocesan Missions.

Dec.	6—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125 00	
	Expenses	4 17	
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	Rev. J. F. Ribble.....		75 00
	7—Rev. J. H. Birkhead.....		62 50
	Rev. D. C. T. Davis.....		37 50
	18—Rev. J. C. Gray.....		12 50
	29—Rev. David Funsten Ward.....		50 00
	Rev. Arthur C. Thomson.....		50 00
1894.			
Jan.	3—Rev. S. S. Hepburn.....		62 50
	5—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125 00	
	Expenses.....	1 75	
		<hr/>	126 75
	Rev. William B. Lee.....		37 50
	6—Rev. John McNabb		37 50
	8—Rev. John S. Hansbrough.....		25 00
	9—Rev. W. C. Latané.....		68 75
	Rev. T. M. Ambler.....		25 00
	11—Rev. E. B. Burwell.....		43 75
	Rev. J. T. L. Hynes.....		62 50
	12—Rev. S. S. Ware.....		50 00
	13—Rev. Josiah R. Ellis.....		50 00
	15—Rev. Job Turner.....		25 00
	Rev. W. B. Williams.....		31 25
	20—Rev. J. Hervey Hundley.....		37 50
	25—Rev. R. A. Castleman.....		37 50
Feb.	1—Rev. W. B. Everett.....		31 25
	Rev. Pike Powers		125 00
	2—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125 00	
	Expenses.....	6 00	
		<hr/>	131 00
	5—Rev. Thos. P. Baker.....		50 00
	Rev. W. B. Williams.....		25 00
	Rev. Preston Nash		75 00
	7—Mr. R. H. Curtis, for mite-boxes		57 34
	10—Rev. J. C. Gray.....		12 50
	14—Wm. Ellis Jones, Bishop's circular.....		10 50
	22—Expenses of Rev. J. B. Newton, on mission duty.....		7 00
	Rev. W. B. Williams, services as treasurer.....		37 50
	28—Rev. Carter Page.....		25 00
March	1—R. H. Curtis, for mite-boxes		22 48
	Rev. J. F. Ribble.....		75 00

Treasurer's Account of Diocesan Missions.

March	1—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125 00	
	Expenses.....	11 40	
			136 40
	7—Rev. Chas. S. Harrison		37 50
	Rev. D. C. T. Davis.....		37 50
	Rev. J. H. Birkhead		62 50
	21—Rev. James Grammer.....		100 00
April	2—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125 00	
	Expenses.....	8 10	
			133 10
	3—Rev. John McNabb.....		37 50
	Rev. Arthur C. Thomson.....		50 00
	5—Rev. Josiah R. Ellis.....		50 00
	Rev. T. M. Ambler.....		25 00
	Rev. W. B. Williams.....		31 25
	6—Rev. David Funsten Ward.....		50 00
	Rev. W. C. Latané.....		75 00
	7—Rev. William B. Lee.....		37 50
	Rev. J. Hervey Hundley.....		37 50
	Rev. S. S. Hepburn.....		62 50
	Rev. E. B. Burwell.....		43 75
	Paid for account of paper.....		10
	16—Rev. E. Meade, expenses.....		10 00
	23—Rev. S. S. Ware.....		50 00
	30—Rev. Preston Nash		75 00
May	2—Rev. Pike Powers		125 00
	Rev. E. Meade.....		125 00
	Rev. Thomas P. Baker.....		50 00
	3—Rev. W. B. Everett, check rem'd but not returned to bank.....		31 23
	Rev. J. T. L. Hynes, check rem'd but not returned to bank.....		62 50
	Rev. W. B. Williams.....		25 00
	Rev. R. A. Castleman		37 50
	Rev. Charles S. Harrison, check not returned to Bank.....		37 50
	Balance on hand.....	\$7,355 36	2,831 00

JOHN L. WILLIAMS,
Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Society.

Richmond, May 3, 1894.

 Disabled Clergy.

*The Society for the Relief of Disabled Clergymen of the
Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia,
In account with WILLIAM H. PALMER, Treasurer.*

1893.

May 13—Cash on hand last report, May 13, 1893.....		\$1,402 74
Dec. 19—Cash advanced B. A. Marsden, Treasurer Disabled Clergy Fund, Diocese of South- ern Virginia.....	600 00	
Expenses on Danville bonds, Diocese of Southern Virginia.....	80	600 80
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RECEIPTS FROM THE CHURCHES.

May 13—Emmanuel Church, Greenwood.....	8 00
St. Paul's Church, Ivy Depot.....	4 00
Mrs. Wm. Blackford, The Seminary.....	1 50
July 25—Rev. James Grammer.....	10 00
Oct. 12—C. Walker, Seminary.....	1 50
Dec. 4—Mrs. J. C. Wills, through Rev. P. Powers....	25
27—Theological Seminary Chapel.....	29 90
Christ Church, Alexandria.....	57 40
St. Thomas' Church, Middletown.....	3 00
Grace Memorial Church, Lynnwood.....	18 23
28—St. James' Church, Richmond.....	48 05
29—Overwharton Parish, Stafford county.....	3 50
St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.....	30 00
Grace Church, The Plains.....	12 50
30—St. John's Church, Richmond.....	25 77
St. Thomas' Church, Orange.....	16 43
1894.	
Jan. 1—St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.....	106 10
Rev. John S. Lindsay, Boston, Mass.....	10 00
Calvary Church, Front Royal.....	8 87
Christ Church, Ridley Parish.....	3 30
Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.....	13 31
Rev. Charles S. Harrison, Sperryville.....	1 00
Mrs. Sarah Eastman, Sperryville.....	1 00
Washington Parish, Westmoreland.....	8 00
St. Paul's Church, Haymarket.....	5 00
Moore Memorial Church, Richmond.....	23 08

Treasurer's Account,

Jan'y	6—Emmanuel Church, Henrico.....	337 96
	Emmanuel Church, Slaughter Parish.....	11 50
	Chapel, Slaughter Parish.....	2 50
	St. John's, Tappahannock.....	4 50
	St. Paul's Church, Essex.....	3 50
	Emmanuel Chapel, King and Queen C. H..	2 00
	Vawter Church St. Anne's Parish, Essex...	2 00
	Miss N. W. Baylor, Essex.....	5 00
	9—Ashland Parish, Ashland.....	12 50
	Grace Church, Berryville.....	11 68
	St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper.....	19 25
	Wickliffe Church, Clarke county.....	8 00
	11—Mrs. C. P. Cochran, Plains.....	2 75
	Christ Church, Lancaster county.....	11 50
	St. Luke's Church, Emmanuel Parish.....	5 13
	Grace Church, Emmanuel Parish.....	6 42
	12—Abingdon Parish, Gloucester county.....	3 20
	Ware Parish, Gloucester county.....	2 95
	15—St. Mark's Church, Richmond.....	11 57
	16—St. James' Church, Warrenton.....	29 09
	17—Emmanuel Church, Greenwood.....	7 06
	St. Paul's Church, Ivy Depot.....	3 35
	Grace Church, Alexandria.....	5 00
	19—St. Luke's Mission Church, Essex.....	3 00
	Christ Church, St. Anne's Parish.....	3 00
	St. John's Church, St. Anne's Parish.....	3 00
	St. Paul's Church, Culpeper county.....	7 50
	20—Mrs. George Hawkins, Toano.....	1 00
	Christ Church, Millwood.....	27 28
	26—St. James' Church, Leesburg.....	27 67
	Trinity Church, Manassas.....	2 60
Feb.	1—Leed's Parish, Fauquier.....	9 46
	Immanuel Chapel, King and Queen.....	2 00
	3—Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.....	10 05
	7—Christ Church, Gordonsville.....	5 31
	8—St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.....	16 37
	14—Fall's Church, Fairfax.....	3 10
	St. Timothy's, Herndon.....	2 23
	23—Church of our Saviour, Fauquier.....	5 00
	Trinity Church, Fauquier.....	2 00
	Grace Church, Albemarle.....	14 60
March	8—St. Peter's Church, Port Royal.....	4 31
	Grace Church, Caroline county.....	2 41

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Mch.	17—Christ Church Charlottesville.....	48 35	
	St. John's Church, Warsaw.....	5 61	
	19—St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....	125 22	
	20—Westover Parish.....	9 11	
	31—Pohick and Olivet Churches. Truro Parish, Fairfax county.....	4 00	
	Emmanuel Church, Henrico (additional)....	20 00	
April	10—Kingston Parish, Mathews county.....	1 88	
	16—Grace Church, Berryville.....	2 00	
	17—Christ Church, Kingston Parish.....	3 75	
	23—Geo. E. Perrini, St. Andrew's, Richmond...	3 00	
May	1—All-Saints' Church, Richmond city.....	65 77	
	Monumental Church, Richmond city.....	14 33	
	4—Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.....	2 95	
	St. John's Church, West Point.....	3 48	
	8—Trinity Church, Chesterfield.....	1 00	
	Emmanuel Church, Hanover Parish.....	3 56	1,424 00
Total from the churches.....			2,225 94
1894.			
April	7—By cash received from B. A. Marsden, Treasurer "Dis- abled Clergy Fund," Diocese of Southern Virginia, final balance in settlement of accounts between the two Dioceses.....		8 16
			2,234 10

DEBTOR.

1893.			
Dec.	19—To cash paid Rev. T. E. Locke, Glendower, Albemarle.....	100 00	
	To cash paid Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Rockingham.....	100 00	
	To cash paid Rev. J. T. B. Reed, Winches- ter, Virginia.....	50 00	
1894.			
Feb.	15—To cash paid W. Ellis Jones for circular, postage, and mailing.....	2 75	
March	12—To cash paid Rev. T. E. Locke, Glendower, Albemarle.....	400 00	
	To cash paid Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Rockingham.....	400 00	
	To cash paid Rev. J. T. B. Reed, Winchester,	200 00	1,252 75
			981 35

Treasurer's Account,

INVESTED FUND—RECEIPTS.

1893.	
July 14—Richmond and Danville R. R. coupons, due January 1, 1893:	
Seven coupons, \$30 each.....	210 00
Interest on same, 6 months.....	6 30
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	216 30
Aug. 3—Georgia Pacific first mort. bonds, coupons, 5 per cent. on \$2,000, for six months, to July 1, 1893, advanced by Drexel, Morgan & Co.	50 00
1894.	
March 8—Georgia Pacific first mort. bonds, coupons, 5 per cent., \$2,000, advanced as above, to January 1, 1894.....	50 00
Nov. 24—One Carolina Central R. R. coupon, due July 1, 1893.....	30 00
Four Virginia coupons, \$15 each, due July 1, 1893.....	60 00
Three Petersburg R. R. "B" coupons, due October 1, 1893. \$30 each.....	90 00
Eight Petersburg R. R. "A" coupons, \$25 each, due July 1 1893.....	200 00
City of Richmond registered bond, \$1,000, interest to July 1, 1893.....	30 00
1894.	
Mar. 12—Eight Petersburg R. R. "A" coupons, \$25 each, due January 1, 1894.....	200 00
One Carolina Central R. R. coupon, \$30, due January 1, 1894.....	30 00
Four Virginia 3 per cent. coupons, \$15 each, due January 1, 1894.....	60 00
City of Richmond registered bond, \$1,000, six months' interest to January 1, 1894....	30 00
April 5—Three Richmond and Danville R. R. coupons, \$30 each, due July 1, 1893—	
Advanced by Drexel, Morgan & Co. \$90 00	
Six months' int'st. to Jan. 1st, added.	2 70
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One Petersburg R. R. "B" bond, coupon, due April 1, 1894.....	30 00
Interest allowed by the City Bank on balances on hand to July 1, 1893.....	14 02

 Disabled Clergy.

To amount forward	981	35
Interest allowed by the City Bank on bal- ances on hand January 1, 1894	33	38
Total from investment funds which included interest on bonds before the division of the bonds	1,216	40
Total cash on deposit in City Bank	\$2,197	75

ASSETS OF THE SOCIETY, MAY 11, 1894.

Stated at the price placed on the bonds in the division of the securities between the two Dioceses.

3,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. Co bond, 108	\$3,240	00
1,000 Georgia Pacific R'y 1st mort. bond, 90	900	00
4,000 Petersburg R. R. Class "B" bonds, 109	1,090	00
2,000 State of Virginia bonds, 3's, 67½	1,350	00
500 Richmond City registered bond, 110	550	00
4,000 Petersburg R. R. Class "A" bonds, 106	4,240	00
Cash on deposit City Bank, May 11, 1894	2,197	75
	<u>\$13,567</u>	<u>75</u>

Attached to, and made a part of this (Treasurer's) report, is the direction of the committees of the Diocese of Virginia and of Southern Virginia distributing the assets of the Society, and my receipt for the bonds in detail, and the cash settlement, signed by the Trustees of the Disabled Clergy Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

E. & O. E.

WILLIAM H. PALMER, *Treasurer.*

May 11, 1894.

[See Report of Committee on Division of Church Funds, pp. 52, 53, 54.]

Treasurer's Account,

*The Society for the Benefit of the Widows and Orphans of
Deceased Clergymen in the Diocese of Virginia,
in account with E. B. ADDISON, Treasr*

1893.		
May	11—	By balance on hand last report..... \$2.
	15—	Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county.....
June	6—	Christ Church, Winchester.....
		Moore Memorial Church, Richmond.....
	8—	Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.....
		Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.....
		Christ Church, Winchester.....
	21—	Christ Church, Alexandria.....
		Theological Seminary, Alexandria.....
		Ridley Parish, Culpeper county.....
		A. Stuart, Alexandria.....
July	3—	St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.....
		St. Paul's Church, Hamilton.....
	15—	Grace Church, Caroline county.....
		St. Peter's Church, Port Royal.....
		Christ Church, Albemarle county.....
		St. John's Church, Albemarle county.....
		St. Paul's Church, Culpeper.....
		St. Thomas' Church, Frederick county.....
		Grace Church, Berryville.....
		Richmond City 6 per ct. bonds, July dividend.....
	27—	Rev. James Grammer, Richmond.....
Aug.	24—	St. Luke's Mission, Essex county.....
		Calvary Church, Front Royal.....
		Meade Memorial, White Post.....
Oct.	9—	Sloss Iron & Steel Co., August coupons.....
		Char., Col. & Aug. R. R. Co., October, '93, coupons
		Petersburg R. R. Co., October, '94, coupons.....
	16—	Christ Church, Millwood.....
Dec.	9—	St. James' Church, Richmond.....
		St. John's Church, Richmond.....
		St. Timothy Church, Herndon.....
	27—	Zion Church, Fairfax C. H.....
		Cople Parish, Westmoreland county.....
		Grace Church, Albemarle county.....
		St. John's Church, Louisa county.....

 Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

1894.			
Jan.	3—	Richmond, Fred & Potomac R. R., November, '93, coupons.....	30 00
	8—	St. John's Church, King George county.....	4 00
		St. James' Church, Ashland.	12 50
		St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....	60 02
		Christ Church, Port Haywood.....	4 34
		Trinity Church, Port Haywood.....	47
		Richmond & Dan. R. R. Co., July, 1893, coupons...	270 00
		Richmond & Dan. R. R. Co., Jan'y, 1893 coupons...	270 00
		Interest on same for deferred payment.....	16 20
		Richmond City 6 per ct. bonds, dividend.....	59 40
Feb.	7—	Trinity Church, Lancaster county.....	1 75
		Char, Col. & Aug. R. R. Co., Oct'r, 1893 coupons,	35 00
		Interest paid on same.....	50
	15—	Christ Church, Culpeper county.....	3 57
		St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.....	40 00
		Interest on deposits in bank to January 1, 1894.....	92 65
	23—	Westover Parish, Charles City county.....	12 40
		Grace and Trinity Churches, Whittle Parish.	5 00
		Fall's Church, Fairfax county.....	3 50
		Martin's Parish, Hanover county.....	4 83
Mar.	12—	Cash, through Rev. Dr. J. B. Newton.....	1 00
		Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.....	5 00
		Miss A. E. Scott, Erie, Pa.....	10 00
		Emmanuel Church, Rapidan.....	6 00
		Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.....	7 46
	31—	Pohick and Olivet Churches, Truro Parish.....	4 00
		Theological Seminary "Chapel," Alexandria.....	52 40
		St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper.....	5 14
		St. Thomas' Church, Frederick county.....	1 75
April	5—	St. James' Church, Richmond.....	40 00
		Christ Church, Winchester.....	28 45
		Sloss Iron & Steel Co., February, 1894, coupons...	60 00
		Petersburg R. R. Co., April, 1894, coupons.....	240 00
May	7—	Grace Church, Berryville.....	2 00
		Leed's Parish, Fauquier county.	4 00
		Trinity Church, Port Haywood.....	25
		Rev. J. W. Birkhead, Stafford C. H.....	2 00
		Monumental Church, Richmond... ..	14 32
		St. Mark's Church, Richmond.....	5 05
	9—	Sold one bond Char., Col. & Aug. R. R. Co. 2d mort.	
		7 per cent., \$1,000, at 93.....	930 00

Treasurer's Account,

May	9—	Sold one bond R., F. & P. R. R. Co., \$1,000, 8 per cent., at 107.....	1
		Coupon attached to the R., F. & P. bond.....	
		All Saints' Church, Richmond	
		Interest on deposits in bank to May 1, 1894	
	10—	Christ Church, Charlottesville.....	
	11—	Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.....	

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DISBURSEMENTS.

1893.			
June	1—	To cash paid first half of appropriation for year ending 1893 and 1894 :	
	No. 1—	Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	
	No. 2—	Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	
	No. 3—	Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe.....	
	No. 4—	Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh	
	No. 5—	Mrs. W. H. Pendleton.....	
	No. 6—	Mrs. John P. McGuire.....	
	No. 7—	Mrs. M. B. Ward.....	
	No. 8—	Mrs. E. B. McGuire	
	No. 9—	Mrs. J. C. Hobson	
	No. 10—	Mrs. Philip Slaughter.....	
	No. 11—	Mrs. W. H. Stringfellow.....	
Oct.	18—	No. 12—To cash coupon of the Char., Col. & Aug. R. R. bond returned unpaid, now charged back..	
Dec.	1—	To cash paid second half of appropriation :	
	No. 13—	Mrs. W. C. Meredith	
	No. 14—	Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	
	No. 15—	Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe.....	
	No. 16—	Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.....	
	No. 17—	Mrs. W. H. Pendleton.....	
	No. 18—	Mrs. John P. McGuire.....	
	No. 19—	Mrs. M. B. Ward.....	
	No. 20—	Mrs. E. B. McGuire	
	No. 21—	Mrs. J. C. Hobson	
	No. 22—	Mrs. Philip Slaughter.....	
	No. 23—	Mrs. W. H. Stringfellow.....	
1894.			
Jan.	6—	No. 24—Cash paid Major R. C. Taylor, Treasurer of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, Diocese of Southern Virginia, on account.....	

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

Mar. 31—No. 25—Cash paid Major R. C. Taylor, Treasurer of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, Diocese of Southern Virginia, on account.....	938 09
7—No. 26—Cash bought one bond Char., Col. & Aug. R. R. Co. 2d mort., \$1,000, 7 per cent., at 93.....	930 00
May 9—No. 27—Cash paid Major R. C. Taylor, Treasurer So. Diocese of Virginia, final settlement in the division of the Fund.....	991 16
To balance on hand due the Society.....	1,828 02
	<hr/>
	\$7,282 27

ASSETS OF THE SOCIETY MAY 12, 1894

Cash in bank.....	\$1,828 02
Petersburg R. R. Class "B" bonds.....	4,000 00
Richmond & Danville R. R. gold bonds.....	4,000 00
Sloss Iron and Steel Co. 1st mort. bonds.....	1,000 00
Char., Col. & Aug. R. R. 2d mort. bond.....	1,000 00
City of Richmond bonds.....	600 00
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Total.....	\$12,428 02

Attached to, and made a part of, this report is the direction of the Committees of the Diocese of Virginia and of Southern Virginia, distributing the assets of the Society, and my receipt for the bonds in detail, and the cash settlement, signed by the Trustees of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

E. B. ADDISON, *Treasurer*.

[See Report of Committee on Division of Church Funds, pp. 55, 56, 57, 58.]

Treasurer's Account.

The Bruce Fund in account with JAMES M. BALL, *Treasurer.*

May	1—	By balance in bank.....
June	7—	Interest Va. S. Ag'l and M. Society bond.....
	8—	Interest A. & C. A. L. income bonds.....
	30—	Interest Marshall Manufacturing Co.....
July	6—	Interest R. & D. R. R. bonds, January, 1893.....
		Interest on R. & D. coupons, due January, 1893.....
		Interest C. & O. R. R. bond.....
		Interest Southside R. R. bond.....
		Interest City of Lynchburg bond.....
		Interest City of Richmond bond
		Dividend City Bank stock.....
Oct	18—	Interest A. & C. A. L. income bonds

Jan.	2—	By interest on deposits.....	
		Interest Marshall Manufacturing Co.....	
		Interest R. & D. R. R. bonds, July, 1893.....	
		Interest on R. & D. R. R. coupons, due July, 1892..	
		Interest on C. & O. R. R. bond.....	
		Interest Southside R. R. bond.....	
		Interest City of Lynchburg bond.....	
		Interest City of Richmond bond.....	
		Dividend City Bank stock.....	
		Interest Va. State Ag'l and M. Society bond.....	
Mar.	13—	Proceeds sale 7,000 R. & D. R. R. bonds.....	
April	1—	Interest Petersburg R. R. Class "B" bonds.....	
		Interest A. & C. A. L. income bond.....	



Oct. 30—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. C. C. Randolph,
Mission Church, Botetourt county.....

Nov. 1—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. C. O. Pruden,
Church, Pittsylvania county.....

6—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. B. M. Randolph,
Church, Barton Heights.....

Feb. 20—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. Frank Steed,
Church, Shenandoah, Page county.....

28—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. S. S. Hepburn,
Church, Hanover C. H., Va.....

 Bruce Fund.

Feb. 28—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. W. H. Milton, Church, Blackstone, Va.....	200 00
Mar. 13—To expenses on R. & D. bonds to N. Y.....	2 80
To notary fee, 50 cents; transfer fee, \$1.75.....	2 25
To purchase 3,000 Petersburg R. R. "B" bonds.....	3,335 00
To purchase 4,000 Randolph-Macon College bonds, and interest.....	4,026 66
To purchase 420 Richmond city 6% bonds.....	462 00
To balance in bank.....	78 93

 \$8,832 64

INVESTMENTS.

Petersburg R. R., Class "B," 6%.....	3,000 00
Randolph-Macon College, 6%.....	4,000 00
C. & O. R. R. Co., 6%.....	1,000 00
Va. State Agr'l and Mech'l Society, 6%.....	1,000 00
Atlanta & C. Air-Line income bond.....	1,500 00
Southside R. R., 6%.....	500 00
City of Lynchburg, 6%.....	1,000 00
Marshall Manufacturing Co., 5%.....	2,850 00
City of Richmond, 5%.....	400 00
City of Richmond, 6%.....	420 00
City Bank stock.....	400 00

 \$16,070 00

Respectfully submitted,

 JAMES M. BALL.
Treasurer.

Treasurer's Account,

THE CONTINGENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,

In Account with JAMES T. GRAY, Treasurer.

1893.

May 12—By balance as per statement rendered this date	\$7,410 60	
To these amounts in above balance which remain uncollected up to this date, as follows:		
Loan to E. D. Christian	\$2,500 00	
Interest on same	150 00	
Loan to James T. Gray	1,500 00	
Interest on same	90 00	
Interest due by estate of W. R. Quarles	125 00	4 365 00
By net balance in bank and on hand	3,045 60	
		3,045 60
Balance in bank	\$3,038 07	
Cash on hand	7 53	
	\$3,045 60	
June 15—By amounts received subsequent to May 12, 1893	6,588 36	
Amounts received subsequent to publication of Journal:		
Rivanna, St. James'	1 50	
Fairfax, Truro, Zion	49 00	
Rockingham, Emmanuel	56 00	
Hanover, St. Martin's, St. Martin's	2 00	
Albemarle, Charlottesville, Christ Church	11 00	
Albemarle, St. Anne's, Christ Church	4 00	
Albemarle, St. Anne's, St. John's	2 00	
Lancaster, Christ Church	4 00	
Essex, St. Anne's, Vawter's, St. Mathews,	17 00	
Hanover, St. Martin's, St. Martin's	7 00	
		153 50
Nov. 7—By amount of loan collected this day from E. D. Christian	2,500 00	
Amount of interest on above loan	221 25	
By Interest on deposits at City Bank	38 95	
		\$12,547 66

Contingent Fund.

^{1893.}			
May	13—To	Rev. S. A. Wallis, salary last half past year	50 00
		Rev. S. W. Wallis, expenses..	5 89
			<u>55 89</u>
	29—To	Miss Mina Dashiell, services rendered...	66 66
		Rev. W. C. Latané, assistant secretary at Council	25 00
		R. S. Chamberlayne, services rendered the Treasurer.....	50 00
June	9—To	Jack Hawkins, sexton at Council.....	15 00
	12—To	Rev. Everard Meade, 1st quarter's salary.....	50 00
		Rev. Everard Meade, expenses	5 00
			<u>55 00</u>
	16—To	Rev. W. M. Clarke, expenses.....	7 50
	17—To	Rev. L. W. Burton, salary September 10, 1892, to July 10, 1893.....	83 40
		Rev. L. W. Burton, expenses.	6 55
			<u>89 95</u>
		W. Ellis Jones, on account of Journals..	200 00
		Rev. S. A. Wallis, expenses.....	3 15
July	7—To	W. Ellis Jones, balance on Journals	144 50
		W. Ellis Jones, postage.....	50 00
			<u>194 50</u>
	21—To	Fortescue Whittle, Treasurer of Diocese of Southern Va., in full settlement of distribution of Contingent Fund.....	7,380 05
	26—To	Rev. Ev. Meade, second and third quarters' salary.....	100 00
	31—To	Bishop F. M. Whittle, 1st quarter's salary.....	875 00
		Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses.....	91 25
			<u>966 25</u>
Aug.	10—To	W. Ellis Jones, for check-book	5 50
Sept.	22—To	Rev. Everard Meade, salary in full.....	50 00
Oct.	7—To	P. H. Baskerville, Treasurer, contribution to Episcopal room	150 00

Treasurer's Account,

Oct. 13—To Rev. S. A. Wallis, half year's salary	50 00	
Rev. S. A. Wallis, expenses..	5 16	
	<hr/>	55 16
Nov. 6—To Bishop F. M. Whittle, second quarter's salary	875 00	
Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses	20 60	
	<hr/>	895 60
14—To Rev. S. A. Wallis, expenses.....	7 50	
Rev. W. M. Clarke, expenses.....	9 00	
1894.		
Jan. 12—To Rev. Everard Meade, expenses.....	10 00	
	<hr/>	10,391 71
Balance in bank and on hand		<u>\$2,155 95</u>
Due by James T. Gray, call loan.....	\$1,500 00	
Due by James T. Gray, interest to May 12, 1893.....	90 00	
Due by estate of W. R. Quarles.....	125 00	
	<hr/>	1,715 00
Balance in bank.....	2,044 29	
Currency and check on hand.....	111 66	
	<hr/>	2,155 95
		<u>\$3 870 95</u>

Trust receipt of Drexel, Morgan & Co., \$5,000 Georgia Pacific Railroad bonds.

JAMES T. GRAY, *Treasurer.*

 Contingent Fund.

 THE CONTINGENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,
In account with JAMES T. GRAY, Treasurer.

1894.

1.	12—By balance in bank and on hand as per statement this day.....	\$2,155 95
	13—By check of Jas. T. Gray to pay interest at 6% to May 12, 1893, on loan to him of \$1,500.....	90 00
ur.	13—By Goochland, St. James', Northam, St. Mary's,.....	8 00
y	16—By interest at 4% on deposits at City Bank.....	10 50
		<u>2,264 45</u>

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1.	13—To Jas. T. Gray, Treasurer, expenses attending Council.....	9 00
	To Rev. W. M. Clark, half year's salary, to December 1, 1893.....	50 00
2.	7—To Bishop F. M. Whittle, third quarter's salary.....	875 00
	To Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses.....	5 80
		<u>880 80</u>
	14—To Rev. S. A. Wallis, balance year's salary.....	50 00
y	4—To Bishop F. M. Whittle, fourth quarter's salary.....	875 00
	To Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses.....	20 00
		<u>895 00</u>
	11—To Wm. Ellis Jones, bill for printing.....	43 00
		<u>1,927 80</u>
	15—By balance in bank.....	<u>\$336 65</u>

MEMORANDUM.

ance in City Bank.....	\$ 336 65
es T. Gray, loan.....	1,500 00
es T. Gray, interest on loan, 6%, to May 12, 1894.....	90 00
ate W. R. Quarles, amount due.....	125 00
	<u>\$2,051 65</u>

must receipt of Drexell, Morgan & Co., for \$5,000 Georgia Pacific bonds.

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 JAMES T. GRAY,
Treasurer.

AY 15, 1894.

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 21, 1894.

			Treasurer's Account,		
COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency this year.
Albemarle.....	Fredericksville.....	Huck Mountain.....	.....	11 00	.....
".....	".....	St. Paul's.....	91	36 50	54 50
".....	".....	St. John the Baptist Chapel.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	Christ.....	386	301 00	85 00
".....	".....	St. Luke's.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	Greenwood.....	Emmanuel.....	32	32 00	.....
".....	Walker's.....	Grace.....	102	72 50	29 50
".....	St. Anne's.....	Christ.....	18	11 00	7 00
".....	".....	St. John's.....	27	10 50	16 50
Alexandria.....	Fairfax.....	Christ.....	240	240 00	.....
".....	".....	St. Paul's.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	Grace.....	.....	73 25	.....
".....	".....	Meade Chapel (colored).....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	Theological Seminary.....	.....	28 00	.....
Caroline.....	Drysdale.....	St. Margaret's Chapel.....	.....	9 00	.....
".....	St. Mary's.....	St. Peter's.....	51	38 00	13 00
".....	".....	Grace.....	34	25 00	9 00
Charles City.....	Westover.....	Mapico.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	Westover.....	61	61 00	.....
".....	".....	Grace.....	.....	.....	.....
Clarke.....	Cunningham Chapel.....	Christ.....	177	90 00	87 00
".....	".....	Emmanuel Chapel.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	Old Chapel.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	Clarke.....	Grace.....	179	116 00	63 00

			Contingent Fund.		
Clarke.	Wickliffe.		44	31 00	13 00
"	Greenway Court			15 00	
Culpeper.	St. Mark's			98 00	
"	"				
"	Ridley			43 00	
"	"			40 00	
"	"			8 00	
"	Slaughter			50 00	
"	"			16 00	
Essex.	St. Anne's		47	22 00	25 00
"	"				
"	South Farnham		86	53 00	33 00
"	"				
"	"		28	24 00	4 00
Fairfax.	Truro		66	48 00	18 00
"	"				
"	"		55	33 75	21 25
"	"		23	17 00	6 00
"	Upper Truro		26	23 00	3 00
"	"		45	43 00	2 00
"	Fairfax		40	34 00	6 00
"	"				
"	"				
"	"				
"	"				
"	"		269	269 00	
"	"				
"	"				
"	"				
"	"				
Fauquier.	Hamilton		128	128 00	
"	"				
"	Cedar Run				
"	Leed's				
"	"		54	55 00	
"	"		9	1 00	8 00
"	Meade		51	34 00	17 00
"	Whittle		26	16 00	10 00
"	"				
"	"		90	90 00	
	Whittle Chapel				

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 21, 1894.

Treasurer's Account,								
COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency this year.			
Fauquier.....	Piedmont.....	Emmanuel.....	17	19 00	.....		
".....	Emmanuel.....	Grace.....	61	61 00	.....		
".....	".....	St. Luke's.....	35	25 00	10 00			
".....	Cedar Run.....	St. Stephen's.....	20	20 00	.....		
Fluvanna.....	Rivanna.....	St. John's.....	46	24 00	22 00			
".....	".....	Grace.....	19	12 00	7 00			
Frederick.....	Frederick.....	Christ.....	218	218 00	.....		
".....	St. Thomas.....	St. Thomas.....	.....	.....	.....
Gloucester.....	Abingdon.....	Abingdon.....	49	41 00	.....		
".....	".....	Holy Innocents' Chapel.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	Ware.....	Ware.....	55	42 00	13 00			
Goochland.....	St. James' Northam.....	St. Paul's.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	All Saints'.....	14	10 00	4 00			
".....	".....	Grace.....	.....	14 00	.....		
".....	".....	St. Mary's.....	15	15 00	.....		
Hanover.....	St. Martin's.....	Fork.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	St. Martin's.....	.....	53 00	.....		
".....	".....	Trinity.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	".....	Church of Our Saviour.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	St. Paul's.....	Emmanuel.....	.....	19 00	.....		
".....	".....	St. Paul's.....	.....	15 00	.....		
".....	".....	St. James'.....	.....	41 50	.....		
Henrico.....	Ashland.....	St. John's.....	.....	.....	.....
".....	Henrico.....	Weddell Memorial Chapel.....	471	471 00	.....		

Contingent Fund.			
Henrico	Henrico	Chapel of Good Shepherd (col.)	Contingent Fund.
"	"	Monumental	206 00
"	"	St. Paul's	459 00
"	"	St. Andrew's	73 42
"	"	St. James'	440 00
"	"	Christ	250 33 09
"	"	Grace	313 00
"	"	St. Mark's	82 50
"	"	Moore Memorial	188 188 00
"	"	All Saints'	265 265 00
"	"	Emmanuel	131 131 00
"	"	St. Phillip's (colored)	
"	"	St. Luke's	
"	"	Chapel at Barton Heights	
King George	St. Paul's	St. Paul's	40 00
"	Hanover	St. John's	42 00
"	"	Emmanuel	
"	Brunswick	Lamb's Creek	
King & Queen	St. Stephen's	Immanuel Chapel	6 6 00
King William	St. David's	St. David's	22 22 00
"	St. John's	St. John's	47 40 00
Lancaster	Christ Church	Christ	7 00
"	"	White Chapel	4 00
"	"	Grace	
"	"	Trinity	
Loudoun	Shelbourne	St. Paul's	94 48 00
"	"	Mount Calvary	40 22 00
"	"	Christ	3 00
"	"	St. James' Leesburg	140 00
"	"	Belmont Chapel	
"	"	Church of Our Saviour	
"	John's	Emmanuel	22 00
"	"	Church of the Redeemer	19 00
Louisa	Green Spring	St. John's and Chapel	18 12 50
"	Trinity	St. James'	24 11 50
Madison	Bromfield	Piedmont	27 8 27
			5 6 00

Contingent Fund.			
Spotsylvania.....	St. George's.....	St. George's.....	210 00
".....	".....	Trinity.....	77 25
".....	".....	St. George's Chapel.....	39 75
Stafford.....	Berkeley.....	Christ.....	1 00
Warren.....	Overwharton.....	Aquia.....	25 50
Westmoreland.....	".....	Clifton Chapel.....	46 50
".....	St. Thomas'.....	Calvary.....	42 00
".....	Washington.....	St. Peter's.....	52 00
".....	".....	Payne's Chapel.....	13 00
".....	Cople.....	Nominy.....	
".....	".....	Yeocomico.....	
".....	Montross.....	Cople Chapel.....	
".....	".....	St. James'.....	
".....	".....	St. Paul's Chapel.....	
			<u>\$7,112 13</u>

JAMES T. GRAY, *Treasurer.*

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

ALBEMARLE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH AND ST. LUKE'S CHAPEL, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Capt. Eugene Davis, Treasurer—P. O., Charlottesville.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 10, total 14. Confirmations: white 23. Communicants: formerly reported white 373, added white 48 (of which by transfer 34), total 421; removed 29, died 6, total 35; present number 386. Marriages: white 9, colored 1, total 10. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 24, scholars 150, total 174; colored, teachers 8, scholars 85, total 93. Contributions, \$107.36. Number of catechisings, frequent. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of the Brotherhood, 39.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,050 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	2,812 82
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	70 06
Diocesan Education Society,	22 03
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	20 35
Disabled Clergy,	48 35
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	27 98
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	321 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	186 05
General—Foreign Missions,	164 00
Domestic Missions,	56 00
Virginia Bible Society,	23 41
Other general objects,	105 14
Total,	\$5,907 16

 Parochial Reports.

**ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, WITH ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL, FREDERICKSVILLE
PARISH.**
Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.
Post-office—Ivy Depot.
John Greaves, Treasurer—P. O., Ivy Depot.

Baptisms: adults white 10, infants 10, total 20. Communicants: formerly reported white 87; added white 8 (of which by transfer 4), total 95; removed 1, withdrawn 1, died 2, total 4; present number 91. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 31, total 35. Contributions, \$19.70. Number of catechisings, several.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$265 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	164 10
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	15 63
Diocesan Education Society,	2 20
Disabled Clergy,	3 28
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	26 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	4 65
General—Other general objects,	2 00
Total,	\$485 86

EMMANUEL CHURCH, GREENWOOD PARISH.
Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.
Post-office—Ivy Depot.
R. W. Kyle, Treasurer—P. O., Greenwood.

Communicants: formerly reported white 29; added white 7 (of which by transfer 7), total 36; removed 4; present number 32.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$228 55
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	3 00
Diocesan Education Society,	5 14
Disabled Clergy,	7 06
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	29 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	7 96
General—Foreign Missions,	3 00
Other general objects,	1 00
Total,	\$284 71

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BUCK MOUNTAIN CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

J. W. Huff, Treasurer—P. O., Earlysville.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: present number 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Salary,	\$75 00
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GRACE CHURCH, WALKER'S PARISH.

Rev. EDW. VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Bowlesville.

W. E. Money, Treasurer—P. O., Bowlesville.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 102, colored 1, total 103; added white 3 (of which by transfer 3), total 106; died 1, present number 105. Marriages: white 3, colored 2, total 5. Funerals: white 10. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 90, total 100; colored, teachers 2, scholars 50, total 52. Contributions, \$15. Number of catechisings, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$620 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	40 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (of which mite boxes \$38.80),	.	84 00
Diocesan Education Society,	.	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	12 85
Disabled Clergy,	.	14 60
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	70 25
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	30 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	115 36
Domestic Missions,	.	7 70
Virginia Bible Society,	.	6 18
Other general objects,	.	6 29
Total,	.	\$1,017 23

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CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS E. LOCKE, Rector.

Post-office—Glendower.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 23; removed 3; present number 20. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$139 56
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	13 95
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 00
Disabled Clergy,	4 00
Contingent fund, paid last year,	7 00
General—Foreign Missions,	6 00
Domestic Missions,	10 00
Total,	<hr/> \$183 51

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS E. LOCKE, Rector.

Post-office—Glendower.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 5, total 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added by transfer 4, total 30; removed 1, present number 29.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$40 54
Diocesan—Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 00
Missions,	8 70
Japan Mission,	4 00
Disabled Clergy,	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	2 50
Total,	<hr/> \$58 74

ALEXANDRIA COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. HENDERSON SUTER, D. D., Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

George Wm. Ramsay, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Number of communicants reported 240.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$2,501 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	179 59
Diocesan Education Society,	.	98 27
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	123 90
Disabled Clergy,	.	57 40
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	23 60
Contingent Fund, last year,	.	250 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	752 79
General—Foreign Missions,	.	207 00
Domestic Missions,	.	120 71
Other general objects,	.	1,297 83
Total,	.	\$5,612 09

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. GEO. H. NORTON, late Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

Capt. P. B. HOOE, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 5, total 6. Confirmations: white 23. Communicants: formerly reported white 246, added white 30, total 276; removed 4, died 3; present number 269. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 23. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 28, scholars 244, total 272. Contributions, \$235.04. Number of scholars confirmed, 10. Members of the Brotherhood, 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$2,532 32
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	650 08
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	318 32
Diocesan Education Society,	.	54 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	106 20
Brotherhood,	.	27 50
Contingent fund, paid last year,	.	246 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	70 94
Domestic Missions,	.	46 10
Other general objects,	.	1,378 14
Total,	.	\$5,429 60

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GRACE CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. CLARENCE ERNEST BALL, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

D. E. Webster, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 8, infants white 35, total 43. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 170, added white 17 (of which by transfer 5), total 187; removed 8, withdrawn 52, died 5, total 65; present number 125. Marriages: white 4, colored 1, total 5. Funerals: white 24. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 23, scholars 176, total 199. Contributions \$101.33. Number of scholars confirmed, 11.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,447 58
Other objects, including other current expenses,	647 69
Building fund,	1,239 39
Diocesan—Diocesan Education Society,	8 11
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	60 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	131 70
General—Foreign Missions,	44 77
Domestic Missions,	12 35
Other general objects,	2 00
Total,	<u>\$3,598 59</u>

CAROLINE COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

W. T. Pratt, Treasurer—P. O., Port Royal.

Baptism: white 1. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 45, colored 1, total 46; added white 6 (of which by transfer 1), aggregate 52, died 2; present number 50. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$208 50
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	55 09
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	27 50
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	4 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	3 31
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 31
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	32 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	2 67
Total, . . .	<u>\$337 38</u>

GRACE CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

Dr. C. B. Morton, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Confirmations : white 5. Communicants : formerly reported white 29, added white 5, total 34 ; present number 34. Funerals : white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$251 42
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	3 74
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	3 38
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	2 41
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	22 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	1 25
Total, . . .	<u>\$286 20</u>

ST. MARGARET'S CHAPEL, DRYSDALE PARISH.

Rev. W. B. WILLIAMS, Minister in charge.

Post-office—Richmond.

James Hunter, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Ruther Glen.

Baptisms : infants white 1. Communicants : formerly reported white 18 ; removed 3, died 1, total 4 ; present number 14. Funerals : white 1. Sunday-schools : white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$4.81.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$100 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	8 82
Total,	.	<u>\$108 82</u>

CHARLES CITY COUNTY.

GRACE, WESTOVER AND MAPSICO CHURCHES, WESTOVER PARISH.

Rev. JOHN C. CORNICK, Pastor.

Post-office—Westover.

John A. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Westover.

Baptisms: Infants white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 70; removed 2; withdrawn 7; present number 61. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$714 38
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	63 29
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	33 92
Diocesan Education Society,	.	18 43
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	12 40
Disabled Clergy,	.	9 11
Brotherhood,	.	17 60
Protestant Episcopal Church Home (provisions and cash),	.	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	61 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	10 65
General—Foreign Missions,	.	107 00
Domestic Missions,	.	4 24
Other general objects,	.	10 00
Total,	.	<u>\$1,067 02</u>

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CLARKE COUNTY.

CHRIST, EMMANUEL CHAPEL AND OLD CHAPEL CHURCHES,
CUNNINGHAM PARISH.

Rev. JOHN P. TYLER, Rector.

Post office—Millwood.

Thomas M. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Boyce.

Baptisms: adults white 10; infants white 16, colored 1, total 17; aggregate 27. Confirmations: white 24. Communicants: formerly reported white 149, added white 33, total 182; removed 1, died 4, total 5; present number 177. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 19, scholars 168, total 187; colored, teachers 10, scholars 80, total 90. Contributions, \$75.77. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$930 08
Other objects, including other current expenses,	498 58
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	89 34
Diocesan Education Society,	62 76
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	23 41
Disabled Clergy,	27 28
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	29 67
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	98 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	41 67
General—Foreign Missions,	90 20
Domestic Missions,	80 29
Other general objects,	103 15
Total,	<u>\$2,074 93</u>

GRACE CHURCH, CLARKE PARISH.

Rev. P. P. PHILLIPS, Rector.

Post-office—Berryville.

R. R. Smith, Treasurer—P. O., Berryville.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 9, colored 1, total 10, aggregate 11. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 186, added white 12 (of which by transfer 1), total 198; removed 12, withdrawn 3, died 4, total 19; present number 179. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 14, scholars 87, total 101. Number of catechisings, every

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Sunday. Number of scholars confirmed, 7. Members of the Brotherhood, 13.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,499 50
Other objects, including other current expenses,	514 89
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	92 81
Diocesan Education Society,	24 68
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	12 00
Disabled Clergy,	13 68
Brotherhood,	35 05
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	63 56
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	151 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	54 24
General—Foreign Missions,	41 53
Domestic Missions,	15 46
Other general objects,	41 00
Total,	<u>\$2,559 40</u>

WICKLIFFE CHURCH, WICKLIFFE PARISH.

Rev. P. D. THOMPSON, Rector.

Post-office—Wickliffe.

W. O. Norris, Treasurer—P. O., Myerstown, W. Va.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 6, total 9. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 42, added white 4 (of which by transfer 1), total 46; died 1, present number 45. Funerals: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 30, total 36. Contributions, \$4. Number of catechisings, occasional. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$450 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	27 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	38 82
Diocesan Education Society,	5 50
Disabled Clergy,	8 00
Brotherhood,	7 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	30 00
General—Foreign Missions,	19 36
Domestic Missions,	5 00
Total,	<u>\$590 68</u>

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MEADE MEMORIAL CHURCH, GREENWAY COURT PARISH.

Rev. JOS. R. JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Millwood.

Capt. D. Meade, Treasurer—P. O., White Post.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 28, added white 2, total 30; removed 2, withdrawn 1, died 2, total 5; present number 25. Funerals: white 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	30 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	13 47
Diocesan Education Society,	3 46
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 85
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	25 00
Other general objects,	2 06
Total	\$173 78

CULPEPER COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S AND LITTLE FORK CHURCHES, ST. MARK'S PARISH.

Rev. S. P. WATTERS, Rector.

Post-office—Culpeper.

R. C. Vass, Treasurer—P. O., Culpeper.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 8, total 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 102, colored 1, total 103; added white 4, aggregate 107; removed 7, died 2, total 9; present number 98. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 30, total 36. Contributions, \$34.86.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$840 66
Other objects, including other current expenses,	390 00

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	4 73
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	13 17
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	5 14
Disabled Clergy, . . .	19 25
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	7 71
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	98 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	46 18
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	25 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	30 00
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	3 10
Other general objects, . . .	1 61
Total, . . .	<u>\$1,484 55</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

C. T. Fowler, Treasurer—P. O., Nalls.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 46; removed 3; present number 43. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 35, total 41.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary . . .	\$289 44
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	79 54
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	25 43
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	5 24
Disabled Clergy, . . .	3 30
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	40 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	75 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	8 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	8 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$543 95</u>

ST. PAUL'S AND CALVARY CHURCHES, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

G. B. W. Nalle, Treasurer—P. O., Raccoon Ford.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Communicants :

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formerly reported white 51; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 47. Marriages: white 3. Funerals, white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Number of catechisings, several. Members of the Brotherhood, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$360 16
Other objects, including other current expenses,	855 61
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	44 96
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	7 50
Brotherhood,	6 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	44 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	9 28
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Domestic Missions,	10 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,347 51

EMMANUEL CHURCH, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. G. MOSLEY MURRAY, Rector.

Post-office—Rapidan.

C. C. Conway, M. D., Treasurer—P. O., Rapidan.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported, white 59, colored 1, total 60; removed 4, suspended 2, died 3, total 9; present number 51. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 3, colored 1, total 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 40, total 44. Contributions, \$15.98. Number of catechisings, frequent. Members of the Brotherhood, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$750 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	291 93
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society	5 68
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	6 00
Disabled Clergy,	11 50
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	10 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	58 00
General—Domestic Missions,	5 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,138 11

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ALL-SAINTS' CHAPEL, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. G. MOSLEY MURRAY, Rector.

Post-office—Rapidan.

Mrs. T. T. Slaughter, Treasurer—P. O., Mitchell's Station.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Communicants: present number 22. Parochial school: number of teachers 2, scholars 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	415 30
Diocesan—Diocesan Education Society,	8 00
Disabled Clergy,	2 50
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	16 00
General—Domestic Missions,	1 00
Total,	546 80

 ESSEX COUNTY.

VAWTER'S AND ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCHES, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. D. C. T. DAVIS, Rector.

Post-office—Loretto.

J. H. C. Beverley, Treasurer—P. O., Loretto.

Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported, white 39, colored 2, total 41; added white 8 (of which by transfer 3), aggregate 49, present number 49. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$447 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	110 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	20 78
Diocesan Education Society,	6 06
Disabled Clergy,	7 00
General—Foreign Missions,	9 00
Other general objects,	1 50
Total,	\$601 34

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ST. JOHN'S AND ST. PAUL'S CHURCHES, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. ARTHUR C. THOMSON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Dr. J. H. Latané, Treasurer—P. O., Mount Landing.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 86, added white 9 (of which by transfer 4), total 95; removed 7, died 2, total 9; present number 86. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 58, total 68. Contributions, \$26.35. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$279 95
Other objects, including other current expenses,	286 01
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	18 90
Diocesan Education Society,	10 41
Disabled Clergy,	8 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	53 00
Total,	<u>\$656 27</u>

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. J. H. HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montagues.

Chas. B. Hundley, Treasurer—P. O., Montagues.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 21, added white 8, total 29; suspended 1, present number 28. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	22 50
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	40 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 00
Disabled Clergy,	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	21 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	4 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Domestic Missions,	2 00
Virginia Bible Society,	2 00
Total,	<u>\$208 50</u>

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FAIRFAX COUNTY.

ZION CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS D. LEWIS, Deacon in charge.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

O. W. Hunt, Treasurer—P. O., Fairfax C. H.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 66, added white 1, total 67; removed 4; present number 63. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$15 27. Number of catechisings, about 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$:
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	
Diocesan Education Society,	.	
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	
General—Foreign Missions,	.	
Total,	.	\$4

POHICK AND OLIVET CHURCHES, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. SAMUEL A. WALLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Accotink.

N. B. Nevitt, M. D., Treasurer for Pohick—P. O., Accotink.

R. W. Gaillard, Treasurer for Olivet—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: Adults white 2, infants white 5, total 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 84, added white 2 (of which by transfer from Pohick 1), total 86; removed 1, withdrawn 5, died 2, total 8; present number 78. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: teachers 8, scholars 100, total 108; colored, scholars 4. Contributions, \$64.14. Number of catechisings, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$:
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	1

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	5 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	4 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	54 75
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	15 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	10 00
Other general objects, . . .	32 30
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$795 69

 CHRIST AND ST. JOHN'S CHURCHES, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

A. C. Bleight, Treasurer—P. O., Chantilly.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 2 (of which by transfer 1), total 28; removed 1, withdrawn 1, total 2; present number 26. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Contributions, \$4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$96 10
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	6 85
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	9 86
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	25 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	7 19
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	8 98
Domestic Missions, . . .	1 39
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$155 40

 ST. TIMOTHY'S CHURCH, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

Thos. Thornton, Treasurer—P. O., Wiehle.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 43, added white 3 (of which by transfer 3), total 46; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 44. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8,

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scholars 39, total 47. Contributions, \$28.94. Number of catechisings, 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$322 38
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	327 15
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	22 81
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	5 00
Disabled Clergy, .	2 23
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	37 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	7 14
General—Foreign Missions, .	8 93
Domestic Missions, .	1 25
Total, .	<hr/> \$734 39

FALL'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

James M. Mason, Treasurer—P. O., Fall's Church.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 40, added white 4 (of which by transfer 1), total 44; removed 4; present number 40. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Contributions, \$20. Number of catechisings, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$297 13
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	168 13
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	22 51
Diocesan Education Society, .	2 57
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	3 50
Disabled Clergy, .	3 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	22 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	7 03
General—Foreign Missions, .	8 78
Domestic Missions, .	1 25
Total, .	<hr/> \$536 00

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FAUQUIER COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HAMILTON PARISH.

Rev. GEORGE W. NELSON, Rector.

Post-office—Warrenton.

Major R. Taylor Scott, Treasurer—P. O., Warrenton.

Baptisms : adults white 1, infants white 7, total 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 128, added white 4, total 132; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 128. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 60, total 70.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,500 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	145 29
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	22 51
Disabled Clergy,	29 09
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	128 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	28 31
Total,	\$1,853 20

LEED'S CHURCH, AND BETHEL AND SOUTH RUN MISSION CHURCHES,
LEED'S PARISH.

Rev. CHARLES H. LEE, JR., Deacon in charge.

Post office—Hume.

Henry C. Stribling, Treasurer—P. O., Hume.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 70, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 71; removed 3, died 3, total 6; present number 65. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 12, scholars 110, total 122.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$682 43
Other objects, including other current expenses,	204 43

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	31	55
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	10	57
Widow's and Orphans' Fund, . . .	4	00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	9	46
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	14	50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	53	00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	11	19
Domestic Missions, . . .	16	78
Other general objects, . . .	37	02
Total, . . .	\$1,074	93

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post office—The Plains.

William Beverley, Treasurer—P. O., Broad Run.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: present number 26.
 Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 35,
 total 40. Number of catechisings, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$258	90
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	31	83
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	15	80
Disabled Clergy, . . .	5	00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	7	67
Total, . . .	\$319	20

GRACE, TRINITY AND WHITTLE CHAPEL CHURCHES, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

J. R. Foster, Treasurer—P. O., The Plains.

* Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 90, added white 6 (of which by transfer 2), total 96; removed 4, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 6; present number 90. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 47, total 55. Contributions, \$6.45. Number of catechisings, 6.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$634 25
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	211 48
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	103 84
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	13 20
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	14 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	90 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	151 16
eral—Foreign Missions,	108 91
Total,	<u>\$1,332 84</u>

TRINITY CHURCH, MEADE PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

W. J. Mann, Treasurer—P. O., Upperville.

baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 8, total 10. Confirmations: e 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 44, added white tal 53; died 2; present number 51. Marriages: white 1. Fu- ls: white 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, 29. Contributions, \$20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$600 00
cesan—Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	6 00
Disabled Clergy,	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	41 00
eral—Foreign Missions,	75 00
Domestic Missions,	50 00
Virginia Bible Society,	4 00
Other general objects,	145 00
Total,	<u>\$925 00</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, PIEDMONT PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

J. S. Mason, Treasurer—P. O., Marshall.

baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants:

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formerly reported white 18, died 1, present number 17. Funerals: white 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$200 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	..	3 00
Disabled Clergy, .	.	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	18 00
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Total,	.	\$236 00

 GRACE CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. J. FRANK RIBBLE, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

W. B. Tompkins, Treasurer—P. O., Casanova.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 4, total 6. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 50, added white 11; colored 1; total 62; died 1; present number, 61. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 35, total 39. Contributions, \$7. Number of catechisings, 10. Number of scholars confirmed, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$213 75
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	342 10
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	18 33
Diocesan Education Society,	.	3 54
Disabled Clergy, .	.	6 42
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	14 35
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	50 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	11 38
Domestic Missions,	.	3 66
Virginia Bible Society,	.	2 00
Other general objects,,	.	12 88
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Total,	.	\$678 42

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ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. J. FRANK RIBBLE, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

C. B. Chilton, Treasurer—P. O., Remington.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 28, added white 9, total 37; died 1; present number 36. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 23, total 26. Contributions, \$8.25. Number of catechisings, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$155 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	59 25
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	14 30
Diocesan Education Society,	3 83
Disabled Clergy,	5 13
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	17 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 80
Domestic Missions,	2 90
Other general objects,	2 25
Total,	<u>\$270 46</u>

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, CEDAR RUN PARISH.

Rev. J. FRANK RIBBLE, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

Howison Hooe, Treasurer—P. O., Catlett's.

Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 3 (of which by transfer 1), total 21; died 1; present number 20. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23. Number of catechisings, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$157 95
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	12 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	18 00
General—Foreign Missions,	1 00
Domestic Missions,	1 00
Other general objects,	8 24
Total,	<u>\$198 19</u>

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FLUVANNA COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

Rev. W. W. BRANDER, Rector.

Post-office—Columbia.

Dr. J. J. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Columbia.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 45, colored 1, total 46. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 80, total 87. Contributions, \$11.13. Number of catechisings, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$100 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	28 39
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	14 03
Diocesan Education Society, . .	1 65
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . .	19 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	3 75
General—Domestic Missions, . . .	2 50
Other general objects, . . .	9 50
Total,	<u>\$179 32</u>

GRACE CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

Rev. W. W. BRANDER, Rector.

Post-office—Columbia.

John H. Cocke, Treasurer—P. O., Breemo Bluff.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 1, total 20; withdrawn 1; present number 19. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$144 25
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	31 49
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	13 75
Diocesan Education Society, . .	8 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . .	12 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	2 00
General—Other general objects, . . .	4 17
Total,	<u>\$215 56</u>

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FREDERICK COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICK PARISH.

Rev. NELSON P. DAME, Rector.

Post-office—Winchester.

Albert Baker, Treasurer—P. O. , Winchester.

Baptisms: adults white 7, infants white 13, total 20. Confirmations: white 52. Communicants: formerly reported white 202; present number 218. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 21, scholars 150, total 171. Contributions, \$124.69. Members of the Brotherhood, 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,005 50
Other objects, including other current expenses,	759 48
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	74 69
Diocesan Education Society,	48 31
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	50 00
Disabled Clergy,	53 45
Brotherhood,	35 20
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	20 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	202 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	110 25
General—Foreign Missions,	147 34
Domestic Missions,	80 62
Other general objects,	280 50
Total,	\$3,867 34

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. W. B. EVERETT, Minister.

Post-office—Middletown.

Charles A. Cutting, Treasurer—P. O. Middletown.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 1, total 25; removed 1, present number 24. Funerals: white 3, colored 1, total 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 60, total 68. Contributions, \$21.37.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$149 65
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	6 17
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	7 00
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	2 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	3 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	3 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	15 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	3 00
General—Other general objects, . . .	2 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$193 32</u>

GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

ABINGDON CHURCH AND HOLY INNOCENT CHAPEL, ABINGDON
PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester C. H.

Mrs. E. L. Dimmock, Treasurer—P. O., Roane's.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 11, total 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 52, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 53; removed 2, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 4; present number 49. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 15, total 18. Contributions, \$5. Number of catechisings, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$241 54
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	60 39
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	19 58
Disabled Clergy, . . .	3 20
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	2 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	30 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	12 70
Other general objects, . . .	2 25
Total, . . .	<u>\$372 16</u>

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WARE CHURCH, WARE PARISH.

Rev. WM. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester C. H.

Charles E. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Gloucester C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 4, total 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 50, added white 6 (of which by transfer 6), total 56; died 1; present number 55. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25. Contributions, \$2.16. Number of catechisings, 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$287 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	126 98
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	24 32
Disabled Clergy,	2 95
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	30 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Other general objects,	1 86
Total,	<hr/> \$488 11

GOOCHLAND COUNTY.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

J. D. Brown, Treasurer—P. O., Sabot Island.

Communicants: formerly reported white 11, added white 1, total 12; present number 12. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 45, total 50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$75 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	12 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	9 00
Total,	<hr/> \$96 00

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GRACE CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

Moses T. Monteiro, Treasurer—P. O., Irwin.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 19; died 1; present number 18. Funerals: white 1. Sunday schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34; number of souls confirmed 4,

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1
Other objects, including other current expenses,	2
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.
Diocesan Education Society,	.
Disabled Clergy,	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.
General—Foreign Missions,	.
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Total,	\$4

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

(Vacant.)

John Wickham, Treasurer—P. O., Lorraine.

Communicants: formerly reported white 17, added white which by transfer 1), total 18; died 1; present number 17. Sunday schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 40, total 44. Members Brotherhood, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.
Brotherhood,	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.
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Total,	\$1

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HANOVER COUNTY.

FORK, TRINITY, CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR AND ST. MARTIN'S
CHURCHES, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Communicants: formerly reported white 80; present number 80.
Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: Fork—white, teachers 7,
scholars 40, total 47; St. Martin's—white, teachers 3, scholars 10,
total 13; Church of Our Saviour—white, teachers 5, scholars 50,
total 55.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$150 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	100 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	20 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	40 00
Total,	<u>\$310 00</u>

IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Geo. T. Darracott, Treasurer—P. O., Old Church.

Baptisms: infants white 2, adults white 2, total 4. Communicants:
formerly reported white 29; withdrawn 1, removed 2, total 3; pres-
ent number 26. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white,
teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$200 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	30 00
Diocesan—Missions (\$12 from S. S),	15 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	20 00
Disabled Clergy Fund,	3 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 40
Total,	<u>\$271 20</u>

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

B. L. Winston, Treasurer—P. O., Hanover C. H.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Communicants: formerly 16, white 17; died 1, present number 16. Marriages: white 1. Schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Contributions:

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	1.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	.
Diocesan Education Society,	.	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.
Total,	.	\$2.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, ST. JAMES' PARISH.

Rev. T. M. AMBLER, Rector.

Post-office—Ashland.

Wm. M. Jones, Treasurer—P. O., Ashland.

Baptisms: Adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 61, added 6 (of which by transfer 2), total 67; removed 18, present 49. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-school: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$34.33. Number of catechisings, 8. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	.
Diocesan Education Society,	.	.
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.
Disabled Clergy,	.	.
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	.
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.
Other General Objects,	.	.
Total,	.	\$

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HENRICO COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, INCLUDING WEDDELL MEMORIAL CHAPEL AND
CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. GOODWIN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Capt. John F. Mayer, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 19, infants white 29, total 48. Confirmations: white 38. Communicants: formerly reported white 441, colored 1, total 442; added white 59 (of which by transfer 9), aggregate 501; removed 22, withdrawn 1, died 6, total 29; present number 472. Marriages: white 8. Funerals: white 30. Sunday-schools: white, officers and teachers 64, scholars 466, total 530; colored, officers and teachers 11, scholars 75, total 86; aggregate 616. Contributions, \$321.70. Number of catechisings, frequent. Number of scholars confirmed, 17. Members of the Brotherhood, 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,393 82
Other objects, including other current expenses,	1,842 07
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	180 16
Diocesan Education Society,	15 43
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	13 49
Disabled Clergy,	25 77
Brotherhood,	23 10
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	40 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	442 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	120 00
General—Foreign Missions,	150 50
Domestic Missions,	99 84
Other general objects,	7 75
Total,	<u>\$5,353 93</u>

MONUMENTAL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN B. NEWTON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond,

Robert H. Fisher, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 11, total 13. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 215, added white 18 (of which by transfer 5), total 233; removed 17, withdrawn

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9, died 2, total 28; present number 205. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 10. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 25, scholars 138 total 163. Contributions, \$212.04. Number of scholars confirmed, 6

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$2,751 8
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	455 3
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	169 4
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	12 6
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	14 3
Disabled Clergy, . . .	14 3
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	50 0
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	215 0
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	53 0
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	65 0
Other general objects, . . .	328 9
Total, . . .	\$4,179 8

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. HARTLEY CARMICHAEL, D. D., Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Beverly Randolph Welford, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 38, total 40. Confirmations: white 20. Communicants: formerly reported white 440 added white 27 (of which by transfer 10), total 467; removed 3, died 5, total 8; present number 459. Marriages: white 10. Funerals white 23. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 48, scholars 415, total 463. Contributions, \$322.46. Number of catechisings, about 40. Number of scholars confirmed, 13.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$9,925 2
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	8,683 2
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	374 0
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	69 7
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	60 0
Disabled Clergy, . . .	120 2
Brotherhood, . . .	70 0
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	440 0
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	503 0
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	125 0
Total, . . .	\$20,370 4

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN K. MASON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Wm. F. Gray, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 8, infants white 20, total 28. Confirmations: white 29. Communicants: formerly reported white 436, colored 1, total 437; added white 32 (of which by transfer 7), aggregate 469; removed 19, died 10, total 29; present number 440. Marriages: white 12. Funerals: white 25. Sunday schools: white, teachers 27, scholars 238, total 265. Contributions, \$311.17, Number of catechisings, 30. Number of scholars confirmed, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$5,467 17
Other objects, including other current expenses,	2,872 30
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	615 36
Diocesan Education Society,	135 24
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	95 02
Disabled Clergy,	48 05
Brotherhood,	39 05
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	391 69
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	436 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	170 00
Domestic Missions,	32 78
Virginia Bible Society,	15 00
Other general objects,	136 50
Total,	<u>\$10,479 16</u>

GRACE CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. L. R. MASON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

W. M. Lewis, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 9, total 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 319, added white 21 (of which by transfer 5), total 340; removed 16, withdrawn 2, died 7, total 25; present number 315. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 19. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 20, scholars 135, total 155. Contributions, about \$200. Number of catechisings, 9. Number of scholars confirmed, 13.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$3,500 0
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	268 0
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	179 8
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	25 2
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	11 3
Disabled Clergy, . . .	35 3
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	34 8
Contingent fund, paid last year, . . .	320 0
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	172 3
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	52 5
Domestic Missions, . . .	144 1
Other general objects, . . .	657 6
Total, . . .	\$5,401 3

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. GEORGE C. ABBITT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Frank D. Beveridge, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 11, total 13. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: added white 21 (of which by transfer 9); removed 9, withdrawn 3, died 2, total 14; present number 267. Marriages: white 6, colored 1, total 7. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13, scholars 135, total 148. Contributions, \$187. Number of catechisings, weekly. Number scholars confirmed, 5. Members of the Brotherhood, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,441 0
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	1,053 0
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	9 0
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	16 0
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	5 0
Disabled Clergy, . . .	11 0
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	6 0
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	87 0
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	100 0
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	14 0
Domestic Missions, . . .	5 0
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	6 0
Total, . . .	\$2,757 0

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MOORE-MEMORIAL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. J. GRAVATT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

James M. Ball, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 15, total 17. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 176, added white 19 (of which by transfer 6), total 195; removed 5, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 7; present number 188. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 19, scholars 153, total 172. Contributions, \$152.49. Number of catechisings, 6. Number of scholars confirmed, 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$3,320 98
Other objects, including other current expenses,	3,420 42
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	56 00
Disabled Clergy,	26 07
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	15 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	125 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	55 48
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Domestic Missions,	63 00
Other general objects,	493 95
Total,	\$7,586 40

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. PIKE POWERS, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

George A. Barksdale, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 17, total 20. Confirmations: white 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 155, added white 13 (of which by transfer 3), total 168; died 3, present number 165. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 20. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 20, scholars 216, total 236. Contributions, \$97.58. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of the Brotherhood, 2.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$1,570 73
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (including \$65 from Sunday-school), . .	95 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . .	10 00
Disabled Clergy, . .	19 36
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . .	61 50
General—Foreign Missions, . .	56 54
Domestic Missions, . .	5 00
Total,	<u>\$1,818 13</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. PRESTON NASH, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

C. C. Baughman, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 8, infants white 20, total 28. Confirmations: white 24. Communicants: formerly reported white 250, added white 27 (of which by transfer 3), total 277; removed 14, withdrawn 6, died 2, total 22; present number 255. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 20. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 31, scholars 296, total 327. Contributions, \$187.22. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$1,445 54
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	346 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	58 47
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . .	41 47
General—Foreign Missions, . .	6 87
Total,	<u>\$1,898 35</u>

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. Y. DOWNMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John R. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 22, total 24. Confirmations:

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white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 240, added white 33 (of which by transfer 24), total 273; removed 5, died 3, total 8; present number 265. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 16, scholars 120, total 136. Contributions, \$106.33. Number of catechisings, 3. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$4,611 16
Other objects, including other current expenses,	1,952 38
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	140 11
Diocesan Education Society,	59 09
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	25 00
Disabled Clergy,	65 77
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	417 00
Contingent Fund,	265 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	125 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Domestic Missions,	78 32
Other general objects,	700 00
Total,	<hr/> \$8,448 83

EMMANUEL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. B. M. RANDOLPH, Rector.

Post-office—Brook Hill.

Joseph Bryan, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 136, added white 8 (of which by transfer 2), total 144; removed 5, dropped 7, died 1, total 13; present number 131. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: Barton Heights Mission—white, teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56. Emmanuel—white, teachers 8, scholars 68, total 76; colored, teachers 2, scholars 66, total 68. Contributions: Emmanuel, \$63.48; Barton Heights, \$66.53; colored, \$7. Number of catechisings, monthly. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of the Brotherhood, 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,568 22
Other objects, including other current expenses,	1,233 40
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	984 12
Diocesan Education Society,	111 16
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	196 08
Disabled Clergy,	357 96

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Brotherhood,
Contingent Fund, paid last year,
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	.
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.	.
Other general objects,	.	.	.	.
Total,	.	.	.	\$

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN W. JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

William Ferguson, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults colored 3, infants colored 6, total 9. C
 tions: colored 13. Communicants: formerly reported col
 added colored 13, total 71; removed 1; present number 7
 riages: colored 1. Funerals: colored 7. Sunday-schools:
 teachers 7, scholars 54, total 61. Contributions, \$21.50.
 of catchisings, 20. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. 1
 schools: Number of paid teachers 1, scholars 40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	.	.
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	.	.	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	.	.
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	.
Other general objects,	.	.	.	.
Total,	.	.	.	.

KING GEORGE COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George.

Washington Tennent, Treasurer—P. O., Mathias' Poi

Communicants: formerly reported white 60, colored 1,
 Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$160 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	50 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	28 86
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	39 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 40
Total,	<u>\$280 26</u>

ST. JOHN'S AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, HANOVER PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George C. H.

Dr. T. T. Arnold, Treasurer—P. O., King George C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 68; suspended 1, died 1, total 2; present number 66. Marriages: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 30, total 36. Number of catechisings, every Sunday after Sunday-school.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$380 55
Other objects, including other current expenses,	325 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	44 43
Diocesan Education Society,	4 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 09
Disabled Clergy,	3 56
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	4 74
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	50 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	5 56
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions,	6 50
Total,	<u>\$828 43</u>

KING AND QUEEN COUNTY.

IMMANUEL CHAPEL, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

Rev. ARTHUR C. THOMSON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

S. F. Harwood, Treasurer—P. O., King and Queen C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 6, colored 1, total 7; removed 1; present number 6.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$83 35
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	3 29
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	20 23
Disabled Clergy, . . .	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	6 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	3 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$117 87</u>

KING WILLIAM COUNTY.

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, ST. DAVID'S PARISH.

Rev. J. HERVEY HUNDLEY, D. D., Rector.

Post-office—Montagues.

Evelyn C. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Ayletts.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 3, total 6. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 21, added white 3, total 24; removed 2: present number 22. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$66 70
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	11 69
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	3 20
Contingent fund, paid last year, . . .	21 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$102 59</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ST. DAVID'S PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS P. BAKER, Minister.

Post-office—West Point.

William A. Triggs, Treasurer—P. O., West Point.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 47; died 2; present number 45. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 37, total 44. Contributions, \$25. Number of catechisings, 9.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$317 76
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	306 30
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	22 15
Diocesan Education Society, .	3 26
Disabled Clergy, .	3 48
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	36 00
Total,	<hr/> \$688 95

 LANCASTER COUNTY.

 WHITE CHAPEL, GRACE AND TRINITY CHURCHES, CHRIST CHURCH
 PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

A. A. Moody, Treasurer—P. O., Lancaster C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 85, added white 11, total 96; died 2; present number 94. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 40, total 48. Contributions, \$7.82.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$500 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	150 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	71 44
Diocesan Education Society, .	5 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	1 75
Disabled Clergy, .	11 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	41 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	4 00
General—Foreign Missions, .	4 17
Total,	<hr/> \$788 86

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LOUDOUN COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. BERRYMAN GREEN, Rector.

Post-office—Leesburg.

Capt. H. O. Clagett, Treasurer—P. O., Leesburg.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 9, total 15. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 165, removed 5, total 165; added white 14, aggregate 179; removed 3, total 176; present number 172. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: 11. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 14, scholars 95, total 109; removed, teachers 4, scholars 40, total 44. Contributions, \$95. Number of catechisings, 10. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1
Other objects, including other current expenses,	
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	
Diocesan Education Society,	
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	
Disabled Clergy,	
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	
General—Foreign Missions,	
Domestic Missions,	
Total,	\$1

EMMANUEL CHURCH, JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

B. W. Haxall, Treasurer—P. O., Dover.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 17, added white 4, total 21; number 21.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$250 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	300 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	12 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	18 00
Total,	<u>\$580 00</u>

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER, JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

J. M. McVeigh, Treasurer—P. O., Aldie.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 20, added white 2, total 22; present number 22. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$260 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	40 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	9 00
Total,	<u>\$309 00</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

(Vacant.)

G. O. Tavenner, Treasurer—P. O., Hamilton.

Communicants: formerly reported, white 40, colored 2, total 42; present number 42. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$185 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	175 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	47 03
Diocesan Education Society, .	4 60
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	6 75
Contingent fund, paid last year, .	30 00
Total,	<u>\$448 38</u>

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CHRIST CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

(Vacant.)

A. B. Shieve, Treasurer—P. O., Luckett's.

Communicants: formerly reported white 27 ; removed 8 ; present number 19. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . : \$17 83

 LOUISA COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, GREENSPRING PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Bowlesville.

Robert C. Perkins, Treasurer—P. O., Poindexter's Store.

Communicants: formerly reported white 24; present number 24. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 15, total 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$200 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	14 30
Diocesan Education Society,	.	3 55
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	1 89
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	13 50
General—Foreign Missions,	.	3 07
Total,	.	<u>\$336 31</u>

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, TRINITY PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Leon Levy, Treasurer—P. O., Louisa.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 22, added white 5 (of which by transfer 2), total 27; present number 27. Marriages: white 1. Number of catechisings, 10.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$86 75
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	17 61
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	19 13
Diocesan Education Society, . .	1 92
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . .	17 00
Total,	<u>\$142 41</u>

MADISON COUNTY.

PIEDMONT CHURCH, BROMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. J. S. HANSBROUGH, Rector.

Post-office—Orange C. H.

Mrs. Wm. Cave, Treasurer—P. O., Madison C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 6; present number 6.
 Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$65 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	7 50
Diocesan Education Society, . .	2 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . .	3 00
Total,	<u>\$77 50</u>

MATHEWS COUNTY.

CHRIST AND TRINITY CHURCHES, KINGSTON PARISH.

Rev. JAMES GRAMMER, Rector.

Post-office—Williams' Wharf.

Dr. Thos. B. Lane, Treasurer—P. O., Port Haywood.

Communicants: present number 57. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-
 schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25. Contributions, \$11.19.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . .	\$453 83
Other objects, including other current expenses, . .	68 63
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	13 97
Diocesan Education Society, . .	6 74
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . .	5 06
Disabled Clergy, . .	5 63
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . .	36 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . .	2 18
General—Foreign Missions, . .	8 45
Virginia Bible Society, . .	2 75
Other general objects, . .	8 37
Total,	<u>\$611 61</u>

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, MIDDLESEX PARISH.

Rev. J. H. HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague's.

E. B. Marston, Treasurer—P. O., Saluda.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 1, total 20; present number 20. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . .	\$75 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, . .	25 09
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . .	7 99
Total,	<u>\$108 08</u>

NEW KENT COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. PETER'S PARISH.

Rev. PIKE POWERS, Rector.

Rev. W. B. WILLIAMS, Minister in charge.

Lane Lacy, Treasurer—P. O., Tunstall's.

Communicants: formerly reported white 16; present number 16.

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nday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Contributions, \$16.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . . \$16 00

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

STEPHEN'S CHURCH AND WICOMICO CHAPEL, WICOMICO PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

J. F. SNOW, Treasurer—P. O., Wicomico Church.

Communicants: formerly reported white 26; removed 3; present number 23.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$44 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	18 66
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	5 70
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	1 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	10 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	3 83
Total, . . .	<u>\$83 19</u>

ORANGE COUNTY.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. HANSBROUGH, Rector.

Post-office—Orange C. H.

John G. Williams, Treasurer—P. O., Orange C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 102, added white 2, total 104; died 5; present number 99. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 16. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 45, total 53. Contributions, \$6.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$741 39
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	79 35
Disabled Clergy, . . .	16 43
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	102 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	20 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	21 00
Other general objects, . . .	87 00
Total, . . .	\$1,067 17

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

John T. Davenport, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 4, total 9. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 55, added white 22 (of which by transfer 5), total 77; suspended 1, died 1, total 2; present number 75. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 40, total 47. Contributions, \$21.26. Number of catechisings, 10. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$450 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	80 62
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	23 39
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	5 25
Disabled Clergy, . . .	9 61
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	55 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	5 67
General—Other general objects, . . .	2 39
Total, . . .	\$631 93

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH (COLORED), ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN (colored), Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Mrs. Kitty Hawkins, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Baptisms: adults colored 3, infants colored 4, total 7. Confirma-

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tions: colored 8. Communicants: formerly reported colored 24, added colored 8, total 32; died 4; present number 28. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: colored 1. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 3, scholars 116, total 119. Contributions, \$11.49. Number of catechisings, 18. Number of scholars confirmed, 4. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers, 1; scholars, 110.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$29 69
Other objects, including other current expenses,	25 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	6 50
Total,	<u>\$51 19</u>

CALVARY MISSION CHURCH (COLORED), ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN (colored), Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

James Cooper, Treasurer—P. O., Albano.

Communicants: formerly reported colored 23. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 2, scholars 35, total 37. Contributions, \$4. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 1, scholars 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$15 00
Other objects, including other current expenses,	65 00
Total,	<u>\$80 00</u>

PAGE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. FRANK STEED, Rector.

Post-office—Luray.

James Burrill, Treasurer—P. O., Luray.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 43; present number 43. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 35, total 38. Contributions, \$15.70. Number of catechisings, frequent.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$104 75
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	15 65
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	5 00
Total,	<u>\$125 40</u>

CALVARY CHURCH, SHENANDOAH PARISH.

Rev. FRANK STEED, Rector.

Post-office—Luray.

C. Powell Noland, treasurer—P. O., Shenandoah.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, other objects, &c., .	\$755 15
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	16 50
Total,	<u>\$771 65</u>

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HAYMARKET PARISH.

Rev. G. S. SOMERVILLE, Rector.

Post-office—Haymarket.

Arthur S. Thorp, Treasurer—P. O., Gainesville.

Baptisms: adults white 6; infants white 10, colored 2, total 12; aggregate 18. Communicants: added white 28 (of which by transfer 5); removed 4, died 2, total 6; present number 94. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 9, scholars 70, total 79. Contributions, \$56. Number of catechisings, monthly.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$907 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	434 60

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (S. S. \$25),	.	.	34	00
Diocesan Education Society,	.	.	10	50
Disabled Clergy, .	.	.	5	00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	50	00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	21	52
Domestic Missions,	.	.	11	73
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	4	13
Total,	.	.	\$1,477	88

TRINITY CHURCH, DETTINGER PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS D. LEWIS, Deacon in charge.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

Robert W. Merchant, Treasurer—P. O., Manassas.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 40, added white 6 (of which by transfer 6), total 46; died 2; present number 44. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 70, total 76. Contributions, \$21.32. Number of catechising, about 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$154	27
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	.	345	00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	.	14	71
Disabled Clergy, .	.	.	2	61
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	19	00
Total,	.	.	\$535	59

RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, BLOOMFIELD PARISH.

REV. CHARLES S. HARRISON, Rector.

Post-office—Sperryville.

Thomas Vigis, Treasurer—P. O., Hawlin.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 28; died 1; present number 27. Funerals: white 5.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$12
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	2
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	2
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.
Total,	-	\$17

TRINITY CHURCH, BLOOMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. CHAS. S. HARRISON, Rector.

Post-office—Sperryville.

Edward M. Green, Treasurer—P. O., Gaines' X Roads.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Communicants formerly reported white 45, colored 1, total 46; removed 1; present number 45. Marriages, white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25. Number of churchings, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$28
Other objects, including other current expenses,	.	.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	1
Disabled Clergy,	.	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	3
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.
Total,	.	\$35

RICHMOND COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, LUNENBURG PARISH.

(Vacant.)

G. Milton Sydnor, Treasurer—P. O., Warsaw.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 51; died 1; present number 50. Funerals: white 2. Sunday schools: white, teachers 11, scholars 42, total 53. Contributions \$17.32.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$156 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	275 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	27 81
Disabled Clergy, . . .	5 61
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	51 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$514 42</u>

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, ROCKINGHAM PARISH.

Rev. O. M. YERGER, Rector.

Post-office—Harrisonburg

John T. Harris, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Harrisonburg.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 78, added white 11 (of which by transfer 8), total 89; died 2; present number 87. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 49, total 53; colored, scholars 2. Contributions, \$8.23.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,000 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	446 22
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	27 54
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	1 17
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	8 64
Disabled Clergy, . . .	13 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	3 43
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	56 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$1,556 00</u>

GRACE MEMORIAL CHURCH, ROCKINGHAM PARISH.

Rev. J. C. WHEAT, Rector.

Post-office—Lynnwood.

Mrs. S. H. Lewis, Treasurer—P. O., Lynnwood.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 23; withdrawn 3; present number 20. Funerals: white 1.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$33 00
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	35 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	30 00
Diocesan Education Society, .	10 00
Disabled Clergy, .	18 23
Brotherhood, .	1 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	13 00
General—Foreign Missions, .	13 00
Total,	<u>\$153 33</u>

SHENANDOAH COUNTY.

ST. ANDREW'S AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, BECKFORD PARISH.

Rev. J. T. L. HYNES, Rector.

Post-office—Mt. Jackson.

J. W. Newland, Treasurer—P. O., Mt. Jackson.

Mrs. Dr. Campbell, Treasurer for Emmanuel—P. O., Woodstock.

Baptisms: infants white 4. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 112, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 113; died 3; present number 110. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 14, scholars 65, total 79. Contributions, \$48. Number of catechisings, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$574 63
Other objects, including other current expenses, .	290 37
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	50 00
Diocesan Education Society, .	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	2 00
Disabled Clergy, .	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	46 25
General—Other general objects, .	15 00
Total,	<u>\$992 25</u>

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SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. W. M. CLARK, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

D. H. Knox, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 4, total 9. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 200, colored 2, total 202; added white 26 (of which by transfer 13), aggregate 228; removed 8, died 5, total 13; present number 215. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 25, scholars 150, total 175; colored, teachers 11, scholars 150, total 161. Contributions, \$170. Number of scholars confirmed, 4. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 2, scholars 11. Members of the Brotherhood, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,338 47
Other objects, including other current expenses,	1,045 49
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	200 00
Diocesan Education Society,	125 00
Widow's and Orphans' Fund,	40 00
Disabled Clergy,	30 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	35 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	200 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	90 00
General—Foreign Missions,	114 90
Domestic Missions,	47 50
Other general objects,	28 75
Total,	\$4,305 11

TRINITY CHURCH AND ST. GEORGE'S CHAPEL, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. J. C. GRAY, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

George B. Pearson, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 8, total 13. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 125; added white

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30 (of which by transfer 11), colored 1, total 31; aggregate 156 moved 11, suspended 21, died 7, total 39; present number 117. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools (2): 1 teachers 21, scholars 107, total 128. Contributions, \$68.73. Number of catechisings, 43. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$9.
Other objects, including other current expenses,	90
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.
Diocesan Education Society,	.
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.
Disabled Clergy,	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.
General—Foreign Missions,	.
Domestic Missions,	.
Total,	\$2,00

STAFFORD COUNTY.

AQUIA AND CLIFTON CHURCHES, OVERWHARTON PARISH

Rev. J. H. BIRCKHEAD, Rector.

Post-office—Stafford C. H.

Hugh Aidie, Treasurer—P. O., Garrisonville.

Baptisms: infants colored 4. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 50, added white 9, total 59; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 56. Funerals: white 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$62
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	5
Diocesan Education Society,	.
Disabled Clergy,	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	2
General—Foreign Missions,	.
Domestic Missions,	.
Other general objects,	5
Total,	\$77

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WARREN COUNTY.

CALVARY CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSEPH. R. JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Millwood.

Judge John T. Lovell, Treasurer—P. O., Front Royal.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 46, added white 16 (of which by transfer 7), total 62; removed 4, died 1, total 5; present number 57. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Contributions, \$25.50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$296 05
Other objects, including other current expenses,	127 04
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	16 10
Diocesan Education Society,	5 25
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	10 05
Disabled Clergy,	8 62
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	42 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	20 72
General—Foreign Missions,	5 12
Virginia Bible Society,	13 16
Other general objects,	40 00
Total,	\$584 11

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

PAYNE'S CHAPEL AND ST. PETER'S CHURCH, WASHINGTON PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

Dr. Walker Washington, Treasurer—P. O., Oak Grove.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 61, added white 1, total 62; died 1; present number 61. Marriages: white 5, colored 2, total 7. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Catechisings, frequent. Members of the Brotherhood, 7.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$464 50
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	378 64
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (including \$28.38 from mite-boxes), . . .	97 80
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	5 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	8 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	48 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	9 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	14 50
Domestic Missions, . . .	8 10
Other general objects, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$1,038 50</u>

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

John Goodridge, Treasurer—P. O., Montross.

Communicants: formerly reported white 16, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 17; removed 3; present number 14. Marriages: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25. Number of catechisings, occasionally.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$88 72
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	61 45
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (including \$3.91 from mite-boxes), . . .	13 33
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	11 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$174 50</u>

YEOCOMICO, NOMINI AND COPLE CHAPEL CHURCHES, COPLE PARISH.

Rev. DAVID FUNSTEN WARD, Rector.

Post-office—Hague.

Fred. K. Griffith, Treasurer—P. O., Hague.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 4. Communi-

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cants: formerly reported white 87, added white 6 (of which by transfer 2), total 93; died 1; present number 92. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 9, scholars 60, total 69.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial —Regular expenses, including salary	.	.	\$385 70
Diocesan —Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	.	37 84
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	3 27
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	52 00
General —Foreign Missions,	.	.	4 30
Other general objects,	.	.	5 85
Total,			<hr/> \$488 96

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Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.:

My Dear Bishop,—My report for the past year is—Baptisms: infants white 2. Funerals: 2. Number of services: 164.

Amount collected for Diocesan Missions, .	\$224 57
Expenses,	114 85
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	\$109 72

Respectfully submitted,

EVERARD MEADE, *Evangelist*.

Report of D. F. Sprigg, Richmond.

My Dear Bishop,—I resigned the rectorship of Moore Memorial Church, Richmond, September 30, 1893. Since then I have occasionally officiated at the Soldiers' Home, at several churches in Richmond in the absence or illness of their rectors, and in St. Andrew's Church, Washington. But my main work consists in editing the *Southern Churchman*.

Very truly,

D. F. SPRIGG.

Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary,

Secretary's Report, 1894.

To Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., President *ex-officio* :

In submitting the Fourth Annual Report of the work accomplished by the Virginia Branch since last May, the *financial depression* that faced the workers must be considered, and it is *due* the secretaries to state, in view of the seeming contrast to other years, that they are learning *better* how to make out their reports each year, only crediting their receipts from legitimate missionary contributions; so if there seems to be "diminished missionary giving," caused by *hard times*, through the lines may be seen the *faith* that undertook, and the *glow* of hopefulness and courage that sustained them through this *crucial* year; and while the figures do not come up to the stand-

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and of other years, yet this is counterbalanced by the increase of members and *new* Branches, with promise of good work the coming year, as the *fruit* that prayers and loving thoughts have borne from consecrated hearts and hands, offered to God and their fellow-men. The Branches have kept true to Auxiliary purposes, more time has been given to the intelligent study of missions, and, *best of all*, where gifts failed they have learned the *power* of "*prayer* for missions," which may be the meaning of the trial of the past year.

As we summarize the reports of twenty-three branches heard from, and five juniors, the condensed statement is stripped of the attractive detail that gives the Secretary enthusiasm in guiding her pen through dreary figures; for in these she sees the bands of women allied to the Auxiliary *far separated*, yet one with the great work of the Church. The character of the work has been much the same as in the past. Money and boxes have been sent *North, South, East, West* within our own borders, even to Alaska. For Domestic Missions, \$580. The foreign gifts include China, Japan, Africa, and Brazil, and amounts to \$915.66, while Diocesan, including Parochial Missions, have received \$1,093.42.

Boxes have been sent to missionaries in *our own* and other Dioceses, while Alaska, the Dakotahs, Minnesota, Wyoming, Utah, and Texas have all shared these good gifts of well-made clothing and staple groceries, valued at \$1,315.61. Total in boxes and money, \$3,904.69. The Church Periodical Club has been organized in Virginia with Secretary and Librarian.

A "Junior Auxiliary," C. P. C., has been established in one Branch with twenty-six members, sending sixty periodicals and papers regularly. Let the Parish Branches register a steadfast intention to do God's and the Church's bidding the coming year, ever keeping their faces set towards the purpose for which their lives are consecrated, and they will accomplish great things, though times be hard and money gifts few; for prayer is the key that unlocks the treasure-house of our rich Father, "whose is the silver and the gold."

Respectfully submitted,

S. STUART, *Secretary Virginia Branch.*

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REPORT OF THE MISSION STATIONS AROUND THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1894.

STATIONS.	BAPTISMS.			Communicants.	Marriages.	Funerals.	Contributions.	Communion.	S. S. Teachers.	S. S. Scholars.	STUDENTS IN CHARGE.
	Adults.	Infants.	Aggregate.								
Arlington.....	1	4	5	13	.....	1	\$61.00	3	7	60	Kloman, Mead, Lee.
Bailey's Cross-Roads.....	.....	4	4	25	.....	1	56.00	2	5	45	Zimmerman, Lehtosy, Perkins, Pendleton, Darnelle.
Carlin's Springs.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	113.50	.....	4	20	Doglass, Grinnan, Stanton, Atkins, R. Cowling.
Groveton.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	63.45	2	4	20	E. W. Cowling, Coupland, Cooke, Patton.
Howardsville.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	70.00	.....	.....	.....	Chinn. Buckner, Cassell, Alfriend.
Langley.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	1	120.00	2	5	40	La Mothe, Beard, Griffith.
Lintonia.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	68.30	.....	7	72	Davidson, Hunting, Ridout, N. Matthews, Specht.
Meade Church, Alex'dria.....	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	2	4	20	Buckner, Gibbons, Griffith, under charge of Rev. C. Walker, D. D.
Pine Hill.....	.....	5	5	4	3	.....	.....	.....	4	17	R. Meredith, E. Meredith, Vest.
Sharon.....	2	1	3	22	1	2	48.67	1	6	55	W. P. Chrisman, C. A. Chrisman, Price, Capers, Temple, Mitchell.
Thos. Sem. S. S., white.....	1	.....	.....	12	.....	1	170.67	.....	8	60	Alfriend, Carpenter, Price, Martin, Vest.
Thos. Sem. S. S., colored.....	1	6	6	34	1	.....	75.62	4	9	66	Hall, Gibbons, Carpenter, Snead.
West End.....	175.00	4	8	75	Farland, Gamble, Boogher, Warfield.
Total.....	4	20	24	111	184	5	\$1,083.21	20	71	550	

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The mission work among the employees of the Richmond and Danville Railroad has been conducted more successfully than ever by Messrs. Semmes, Plummer, and J. R. Matthews, at a cost of \$600. The attendance has frequently been limited only by the seating capacity of the room. The Company still supplies a rented building, fitted up with beds and baths, and a well furnished reading-room.

Respectfully submitted,
 Presbyter in charge of the Mission Stations around the Seminary.

KINLOCH NELSON,

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DEACONS ORDAINED SINCE COUNCIL—THEIR CURES AND
POST-OFFICES.

Rev. Austin B. Chinn, Cople Parish, Westmoreland county, P.
O., Hague.

Rev. Edward W. Cowling, Louisa and Madison counties.

Rev. John S. Douglas.

Rev. Z. S. Farland, Assistant, St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

Rev. A. G. Grinnan, Buck Mountain and St. Luke's Churches,
Albemarle county, P. O., Charlottesville.

Rev. John D. La Mothe, Churches at Goresville, Hamilton and
Round Hill, P. O., Hamilton.

Rev. Thomas Semmes, Richmond county, P. O., Warsaw.

Constitution.

REVISED CONSTITUTION
OF THE
PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH
IN THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,

As adopted in 1836, and amended in 1840, 1850, 1860, 1864, 1867, 1872
1881 and 1890.

ARTICLE I.

There shall be a Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia on the third Wednesday in May every year; but the Council which meets in the year previous to the meeting of the General Convention may have power to appoint the time and place of meeting for the next annual session, and in the event of the existence of an epidemic disease, or any other good cause, rendering it necessary or expedient to alter the place fixed on for any meeting of the Council, the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese may change the place, or the time, or both.

ARTICLE II.

SECTION I. The Council shall be composed of the Bishop and the Assistant Bishop (if there be one), and of the Ministers, except as hereinafter provided, who now are or may hereafter be canonically settled in Parishes or churches within this Diocese; Professors of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, Missionaries within this Diocese, and under its ecclesiastical authority, being Clergymen of this Church and canonically connected with this Diocese: *Provided*, that any such Ministers who may have been so canonically settled up to the time of disability, but whom age or infirmity prevents from exer-

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cising their clerical functions, shall be members *ex officio*: *Provided further*, that only such Colored Ministers shall be members as are specified in Section 3 of this Article: *Provided further*, that no Minister under ecclesiastical censure or process shall be entitled to a seat in the Council, and no Minister shall be entitled to a seat unless he has been canonically connected with the Diocese for the six calendar months preceding.

SEC. 2. The Council shall also be composed of lay members, consisting of one delegate for each Parish or church entitled to representation, chosen by the Vestry thereof, except as hereinafter provided. Every such Parish or church having more than one officiating Minister canonically settled, shall be entitled to send as many lay delegates as it has Ministers, and in every case the delegate or delegates shall be communicants in the Church: *Provided*, that only such colored delegates shall be members as are specified in Section 3 of this Article.

SEC. 3. The Council shall also be composed of the Colored Ministers having a seat and voice in the Council on the 17th day of May, 1889, and of two clerical and two lay delegates from the Colored Missionary Jurisdiction of the Diocese, as the same is now or may hereafter be constituted by Canon.

ARTICLE III.

Twenty members of the clerical and twenty of the lay order shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a smaller number may adjourn.

ARTICLE IV.

In all matters that shall come before Council, the clergy and laity shall deliberate in one body, and the concurrence of a majority shall give validity to any measure; but when five members require it there shall be a vote by orders, and a majority of each order shall be necessary to a decision.

ARTICLE V.

The election of a Bishop in this Diocese shall be made in Council in the following manner: The order of the clergy shall nominate

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and appoint by ballot some fit and qualified clergyman for that office, and the votes of a majority of that order shall be requisite to constitute a choice; and thereupon such appointment shall be presented to the order of the lay delegates, and be considered by them; and if on a ballot it shall appear that the person so nominated is approved by a majority of the lay order, he shall then be declared to be duly elected.

ARTICLE VI.

The Bishop shall be President of the Council, in which character it shall be his duty to give to the Council annually a general view of the state of the church; to call special Councils at whatever time and place he shall think necessary, or when required by the Standing Committee; to preserve order during the time of session; to put the question, collect the votes, and declare the decision; and he may deliver his sentiments on any subject after it has been discussed before a vote thereon. The Assistant Bishop, if there be one, shall preside in the Council in the absence of the Bishop.

ARTICLE VII.

In case of a vacancy in the Episcopal Office, the Council, immediately upon their assembling, shall choose by joint ballot a President from among the order of Priests, who shall remain in office until the next annual Council, or until the next election of a President. He shall perform all duties, and possess all the privileges above specified; but he shall not call special meetings of the Council unless applied to for that purpose by a majority of the Standing Committee; and if the Bishop of the Diocese be not present at any meeting of the Council, they shall elect, in the manner aforesaid, a President *pro tempore*.

ARTICLE VIII.

A Secretary shall be appointed by the Council, who shall continue in office during good behavior. His duty shall be to make minutes of their proceedings, to preserve their journals and records, to attest the public acts of the body, and to faithfully deliver into the hands of his successor all books and papers relative to the concerns of the

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Council which may be in his possession. It shall be his duty to notify through the channel of the public papers, as he may think proper, the time and place for the meeting of the succeeding Council. The Secretary shall annex to the journal of every succeeding Council a list of the clergy, with all alterations therein produced in the preceding year by ordinations, deaths, removals, suspensions and degradations.

ARTICLE IX.

A Treasurer shall be appointed by the Council, who shall continue in office for one year, or until his successor shall be appointed. It shall be his duty to receive and keep safely all money and other property confided to his custody; and he shall disburse and dispose of the same as may be ordered by the Council. He shall annually report to the Council an account showing all money and other property received by him, and the manner in which he has disbursed or disposed of the same.

In case of a vacancy in the office by the death or resignation of the Treasurer, or in case of his misconduct, incapacity, refusal or failure to discharge the duties of his office during the recess of the Council, the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese may fill the said vacancy, or remove the said Treasurer, and appoint a Treasurer *pro tempore*, who shall take into his custody all the money and other property, and all the books and papers belonging to the said office, and discharge the duties thereof until the election of a Treasurer by the Council.

ARTICLE X.

Each Annual Council shall elect by ballot a Standing Committee, consisting of six members, three clerical and three of the lay order, who shall be communicants of the Church in the Diocese, and who shall continue in office until their successors shall be appointed.

ARTICLE XI.

Every Parish within this Diocese shall be entitled to the entire benefit of this Constitution as soon as it shall have signified its ratification thereof, either in writing or by sending a lay delegate to the

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Council; and such Parish shall thereafter be benefited and be equally with the other Parishes in this Diocese by every rule and Canon which shall be framed by any Council acting under this Constitution for the government of this church in ecclesiastical concerns.

. ARTICLE XII.

This Constitution shall be unalterable, except in the following manner: A proposition for any change shall be introduced in writing and considered in Council, and if approved of, the same shall be transmitted to the several vestries of the parishes which shall have ratified this Constitution; and if again approved of in the next ensuing Council by a majority, the change shall then take place, and the Constitution so altered shall be valid and obligatory.

CANONS
OF THE
PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH
OF THE
DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

Adopted 1849, and amended in 1850, 1860, 1867, 1872, 1882, 1887, 1890 and 1894.

CANON I.

Of the trial of a Clergyman, not being a Bishop.

SECTION 1. The trial of a clergyman, not being a Bishop, shall be on a presentment in writing, specifying with reasonable clearness and certainty as to time, place and circumstance, the crime or misdemeanor, by violation of the canons or otherwise, charged; the said presentment to be made to the Bishop, either by the Council, or by the vestry of the Parish to which the accused belongs, or by any three presbyters of the Diocese, entitled to seats in the Council; the said vestry, or presbyters, pledging themselves to act as a committee of prosecution. If, however, the presentment be made by the Council, then the Council shall appoint the committee of prosecution and furnish them with such instructions as may be deemed necessary.

SEC. 2. Such presentment being made to the Bishop, and being accompanied by a further statement in writing of the names of the witnesses, and of the purport of their evidence, and by such documentary evidence as may be in their possession, the Bishop shall immediately proceed to the trial, according to the following provisions:

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He shall nominate from among the clergy entitled to seats in the Council, other than the members of the Standing Committee, eight presbyters, and cause a list of their names and a copy of the presentment to be furnished to the accused, or left at his place of residence. Of the eight presbyters nominated as aforesaid, the accused may choose five, or, in case of his refusal or neglect for twenty days so to do, the Bishop shall select five, and the presbyters so chosen shall constitute a court for the trial of the accused. The Bishop shall also, at the same time, cause at least thirty days' notice of the time and place of the trial to be given, both to the accused and to the parties presenting him, and also to the presbyters nominated as before provided.

SEC. 3. The court shall appoint a President and Secretary—the first always from their own body.

SEC. 4. If the accused appear before proceeding to trial, he shall be called on by the court to say whether he is guilty of the offence, or offences, charged against him, and on his neglect or refusal to answer, the plea of *not guilty* shall be entered for him, and the trial shall proceed: *Provided*, that for sufficient cause the court may adjourn, from time to time, and place to place: *And provided also*, that the accused shall, at all times during the trial, have liberty to be present, to produce his testimony, and to make his defense.

SEC. 5. On the request of the accused, or the committee of prosecution, witnesses may be summoned—if before the meeting of the court—by the Bishop; if during the session of the court then by its President. All testimony shall be given under oath or affirmation, administered by some officer authorized by law. In case the testimony of any witness—whose attendance on the trial cannot be obtained—is desired, it shall be lawful for either party, at any time after notice of the presentment is served on the accused, to apply to the court, if in session, or if not, to the Bishop, who shall thereupon appoint a commissioner to take the deposition of such witness; and such party so desiring to take the deposition shall give to the other party, or some one of them, reasonable notice of the time and place of taking the deposition, accompanying such notice with the interrogatories to be propounded to the witness; whereupon, it shall be

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lawful for the other party, within six days after such notice, to propound cross-interrogatories, and such interrogatories and cross-interrogatories, if any be propounded, shall be sent to the commissioner, who shall thereupon proceed to take the testimony of such witness, and transmit it under seal to the court. But no deposition shall be read at the trial unless the court have reasonable assurance that the attendance of the witness cannot be procured, or unless both parties shall consent that it may be read.

SEC. 6. The court having deliberately considered the evidence, shall, within ten days after closing the same, declare in a written judgment signed by them, or a majority of them, that the accused is guilty, or not guilty, of the charge or charges, or any of them, laid in the presentment, in the order therein set forth, and also, if guilty, what punishment shall be awarded, which judgment, with all the evidence received, shall be delivered forthwith to the Bishop; whereupon, unless the Bishop see cause to mitigate or remit the punishment, or to grant a new trial, he shall pronounce sentence according to the judgment of the court, and such sentence shall be final. In case a new trial is granted, a new court shall be constituted according to the provisions of this Canon.

SEC. 7. If the accused shall neglect or refuse to appear before the court, when summoned according to section second of this Canon, and no defence be there made under his authority, the court shall declare him to be in contumacy, and report the same to the Bishop, and sentence of suspension from the ministry shall pass against him for contumacy; but the said sentence shall be reversed by the Bishop, if—within three calendar months—the accused shall tender himself ready, and accordingly appear to take his trial on the presentment; but if he shall not so tender himself before the expiration of the said three months, the sentence of degradation from the ministry for contumacy shall forthwith be pronounced by the Bishop, who shall cause such sentence to be publicly read to the congregations of the Diocese by the respective ministers thereof.

SEC. 8. If at any time the accused shall confess himself guilty of the matters charged in the presentment, or any of them, the court shall proceed to award the punishment, and certify the same, as

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hereinbefore provided, to the Bishop, who shall, unless he see cause to remit or mitigate the punishment, pronounce the sentence according to the Canons.

SEC. 9. All notices and papers contemplated by this Canon may be served by a summoner, or summoners, appointed by the Bishop, or by the court when the same is in session, and the certificate of any such summoner shall be evidence of the due service of a notice or paper. The delivery of a written notice or paper to a party, or the leaving it at his last place of residence, shall be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or paper.

SEC. 10. The accused party may have the privilege of appearing by counsel, in number not more than two, and, in case of the exercise of such privilege, but not otherwise, those presenting shall have the like privilege. If the party accused desire it, the trial shall be in public, and said party shall be entitled to a copy of the evidence if he require it.

SEC. 11. In case of a presentment occurring during a vacancy in the Episcopal Office, such presentment shall be made to the Standing Committee, who shall thereon take such steps as are by this Canon enjoined on the Bishop: *Provided*, that on receiving the proceedings and judgments of the court, they shall transmit the same to the Bishop of some other Diocese, who shall be requested, and is hereby authorized to act thereon, as if he were the Bishop of the Diocese, and, if he shall concur in opinion with the court, he shall proceed to pronounce sentence accordingly.

SEC. 12. The expenses of such trial, as also those of the investigating committee, preliminary to a presentment, shall be defrayed by the Treasurer out of the contingent fund by order of the Council.

CANON II.

Of the proceedings in the trial of a Layman, after expulsion by the Minister from the Holy Communion.

If any person repelled from the Holy Communion shall allege to the Bishop that injustice has been done, or if, notwithstanding he

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shall have professed himself ready and willing, in truth and sincerity, to comply with the requisitions expressed in the Rubric, in order to be restored to the Holy Communion, his repulsion shall be continued, he may present his complaint in writing to the Bishop, setting forth the grounds thereof, and desiring that he may be restored to the Communion, and then the Bishop, unless he think fit to restore the communicant from the insufficiency of the cause assigned by the minister, shall nominate two of the clergy and two of the laity, of whom the minister repelling shall select one of the clergymen, and the communicant one of the laymen; and it shall be the duty of the two thus chosen to take without delay the evidence in the case, under oath and in writing, of such witnesses as may be produced by either of the parties, and to certify the same to the Bishop, who, thereupon, unless for his own satisfaction, or for good cause shown by either of the parties interested, he shall desire further evidence, shall proceed to adjudge the case. If further evidence be required, it shall be obtained and certified, either by the same commission, or another appointed in the manner above prescribed, as the Bishop may direct. And when the evidence is thus procured, the Bishop shall adjudge the case, and shall communicate his judgment whenever made to the minister repelling, and to the communicant repelled, which judgment shall be final and conclusive: *Provided*, that in case his judgment shall direct a further continuance of the repulsion, it shall nevertheless be subject to all the conditions and provisions of the Rubric.

CANON III.

Of the transfer of Communicants from one Parish or Church to another.

Every communicant removing from one Parish or church to another within this Diocese, and desiring to be enrolled as a communicant thereof, shall present to the minister a certificate of regular standing from the minister, or, if there be no minister, from the vestry of the Parish or church from which the communicant desires to be transferred.

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CANON IV.

Ministers to be careful in admitting to Holy Communion.

No minister shall enroll any persons as communicants in the Parish or congregation under his charge until he has conversed with them on the subject, or unless he shall be satisfied that they have been regular communicants in some other Parish or congregation; nor shall he enroll any one who is known to deny the doctrines of the gospel as generally set forth in the authorized standards of the Church; nor shall he report to the Diocesan Council, as a communicant, any one who has not (without satisfactory reason) communed within the year immediately preceding the annual meeting of the Council.

CANON V.


Communicants to have Family Worship.

It shall be the duty of every communicant in this Church, who is at the head of a family, to live in the daily exercise of family worship.

CANON VI.

The members of this Church to instruct their Families in the principles of Religion.

The members of this Church shall instruct their families, as far as they are able, in the principles of the Christian religion. Parents and sponsors shall be careful to teach their children the solemnity and obligation of their baptismal vow, to cause them to attend the catechetical and other instructions of their minister; and, as soon as they are sufficiently instructed and impressed with the importance and sacredness of their baptismal promise, shall take care that they come to the Bishop to be confirmed by him.



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CANON VII.

Of the due celebration of Sunday.

All persons within this Church shall celebrate and keep the Lord's day, commonly called Sunday, in hearing the word of God read and taught, in private and public prayer, and in acts of charity, using all sober and godly conversation.

CANON VIII.

Election and Duties of Vestries and Wardens, &c.

SEC. 1. All persons who have attained the age of twenty-one years, have resided in the Parish in which they offer to vote for six months next preceding the election, and are communicants of the Protestant Episcopal Church, or regular contributors to the charges of the Parish, shall be entitled to vote at the election of vestrymen for such Parish.

SEC. 2. The election of vestrymen shall be held on Easter Monday; or, in case no election be held on that day, on such other day as shall be designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed. The election shall be held at the Parish church, or some place of worship, if there be one; if not, at such other place within the Parish as shall be designated in the manner hereinafter provided. The voting shall be by ballot. The number of persons to be voted for by each elector shall not be less than three, nor more than twelve, and shall be fixed—where the election is the first in a new Parish—by the Council on its admission into the Diocese, or, before the election commences, by a majority of the qualified electors who shall have assembled to vote at such election; or, in case the election be in an organized Parish, the number to be voted for shall be the same that constituted the former vestry, unless such number be changed in like manner by a majority of the qualified electors so assembled. Only male persons shall be eligible to the office of vestryman; in other respects the qualifications of vestrymen shall be the same as those prescribed for voters. The persons chosen by a majority of

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the votes cast at such election, together with the minister in charge of the Parish, if there be one, shall constitute the vestry of the Parish, and they shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and qualify as hereinafter prescribed.

SEC. 3. In case there be in a Parish congregations not exceeding four in number, apart from each other, but not constituting independent cures, a separate election shall be held for each congregation at its usual place of worship, or, if there be none, at such other place as shall be designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed. The qualified electors of such congregation shall, in the manner prescribed by this Canon, elect three persons, who shall be vestrymen of the Parish. The vestrymen chosen for such congregation shall, together with the minister in charge thereof, be the constituted authorities of such congregation, and shall manage and control the affairs of the same, so far as they pertain alone to the congregation, and not to the Parish at large. The vestrymen chosen by such congregations in the same Parish shall, together with the minister in charge thereof, be the constituted authorities of the Parish, as its vestry, and shall manage and control the affairs of the Parish, either in general meeting, a majority of the whole number of vestrymen in the Parish being present, or in case such meeting be impracticable, or in the opinion of the minister in charge too inconvenient, any matter concurred in by a majority of the vestrymen of the respective congregations, and duly recorded by the register of the Parish, shall be deemed to be the act of the vestry of the Parish. But in no event shall the aggregate number of such vestrymen exceed twelve.

SEC. 4. If there be no Parish church or place of regular worship for the Parish or congregation, as the case may be, the minister in charge of the same, or other person or persons named in the next succeeding section, shall have authority to appoint the place within the Parish at which such election shall be held. If such place of voting be so fixed before Easter Monday, the same notice of the time and place of election shall be required as in the next succeeding election.

SEC. 5. If no such election be held on Easter Monday, the same may be held on any day thereafter (except Sunday), to be fixed by

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the minister in charge, or, if there be none, by one of the wardens, or by two vestrymen, or, if there be none, by three members of the congregation. Of the time and place of such special election, due notice shall be given during the services held at the Parish church or place of worship on the two Sundays next preceding such special election; or in case no such services be held by posting copies of such notice for two weeks next preceding such special election at the front door of the Parish church or place of worship; or, in case there be none, at two or more public places in the Parish.

SEC. 6. The vestry shall appoint three persons, of whom not more than two members shall be of their own body, to act as judges to conduct and superintend such elections. In case no such judges be appointed, the members of the vestry present shall act as judges of election; and in case none of the vestry be present, or if present, fail to act, the electors may choose three of their number to act as such judges. The judges of election shall judge of the qualification of the voters, and of those elected as vestrymen.

SEC. 7. As soon as may be after such election, the persons chosen to act as vestrymen shall, at such time and place as the minister shall appoint, or as shall otherwise be designated, assemble and proceed to organize the vestry. The register and treasurer of the former vestry shall attend. The proceedings shall be opened with one or more collects and the Lord's prayer by the minister in charge, or in his absence by one of the wardens, or any other member who may be requested to preside over the meeting.

SEC. 8. Every person chosen a vestryman, shall, before he acts as such, subscribe the following declaration and promise: "I do believe the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testament to be the Word of God, and to contain all things necessary to salvation; and I do yield my hearty assent and approbation to the doctrines, worship and discipline of the Protestant Episcopal Church in these United States; and I promise that I will faithfully execute the office of vestryman of ——— Parish, or church, in ——— county, according to my best knowledge and skill." No person shall act or vote as vestryman until he has subscribed this declaration and promise.

SEC. 9. The vestry shall proceed to elect two wardens, a register

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and a treasurer, who shall continue in office until their successors are elected. The wardens must be communicants and members of the vestry.

SEC. 10. Vacancies occurring in the vestry shall be filled by a vote of the remaining members, and a majority of those who have qualified shall constitute a quorum. The rector shall preside at all meetings when present, and be entitled to give the casting vote in case of a tie, when he is not personally interested. All vestry meetings shall be subject to his call, and in case he fails, at the request of two vestrymen, to call a meeting, such vestrymen, if they deem it necessary, may themselves call a meeting.

Duties.

SEC. 1. It shall be the duty of the vestry to determine upon and elect a Rector; to co-operate with him in gathering souls into the fold of Christ; to see that he be properly supported; that his salary be paid with regularity and punctuality; to make and execute all contracts for the erection, furnishing and preserving the church edifice and other church property; to regulate the use of the Parish graveyard; to employ an organist, and otherwise provide for sacred music, subject to the control of the Rector, and generally as the constituted agents of the Parish or congregation to transact all its temporal business.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the wardens to keep watch over the church property; to see that it is duly prepared for every occasion of public worship; to see that the sexton and other employees properly discharge their duties; to collect the offerings of the people; to take charge of the font and communion plate; to provide out of the Parish funds, under the direction of the vestry, a sufficient supply of vestments and books to be used in public worship, and also the elements for each celebration of the Holy Communion; to attend to the accommodation of the congregation with seats, and to maintain order and decorum in the time of public worship.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the register of the vestry to take charge of all Parish records; to keep correct entries of all proceedings of the vestry, and when there shall be no Rector, to enter upon

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the Church register usually kept by the rector, all baptisms, specifying the Christian and surnames of the parents, with the name and date of birth and baptism of the person baptized ; also all marriages, deaths and funerals, with dates and names of parties, and in like manner all confirmations administered in, and communicants lost or gained by the Parish, and furnish a report of the same to the annual Councils of the Diocese.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to take charge of all moneys, except communion alms and other special offerings, and to disburse the same under the direction of the vestry, and to make such reports to the Council as are required by its orders. The term " Parish," wherever it occurs in this Canon, shall be interpreted also to mean church or congregation, wherever such a church or congregation is entitled to a separate vestry, unless where the context requires a more restricted construction.

CANON IX.

Concerning Exceptions to the foregoing Canon.

Whereas the preceding Canon, which directs the manner of choosing vestrymen in the several Parishes, is not applicable to the case of churches built and supported by voluntary associations of individuals ; and it is proper that those who hold the sole property of a particular church—as in the case of the Monumental Church, Richmond, and in all similar cases—should provide for its care and management, the choice of vestrymen shall be made by the pew-holders of the respective churches, conforming, as to the time of appointment and manner of qualifying the vestrymen, to the regulations prescribed by the eighth Canon.

CANON X.

Of the Division of Parishes.

SEC. 1. Whenever the members of the church, residing in a particular portion of a Parish, shall desire to separate from the Parish of which they form a part, it shall be lawful for them to assemble, after

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public notice given in the church or place of public worship, or posted upon the door of the same, and appoint a committee to take such measures as may be necessary.

SEC. 2. The committee thus appointed shall give to the Bishop and to the majority of the vestry (if there be one) of the Parish from which they desire to be separated, a formal notice of their intention to apply for such purpose, which notice shall contain a description of the proposed line or lines of division, and shall be sent to the Bishop and said vestry at least three months before the meeting of the Council to which the application shall be made.

SEC. 3. Said application shall be made in the form of a petition to the Council, and shall set forth the considerations which are supposed to render the division desirable; whereupon the Council may, if they deem it expedient, proceed to divide said parish, and to constitute the portion thereof applying for separation a new Parish, with all the rights and privileges of other Parishes of this Diocese.

SEC. 4. As soon after the adjournment of the Council as may be practicable, the committee aforesaid shall give at least two weeks' notice to the members of the church, residing in the new Parish, to assemble for the election of a vestry, which elections shall be conducted according to the directions contained in Canon VIII.

SEC. 5. The committee aforesaid, or a majority of those who may attend, shall judge of the qualification of voters, and of the qualification of persons proposed to be elected, and of the election of vestrymen; and those persons whom said committee shall declare to be duly elected, shall be the vestry of said Parish until the election and qualification of the succeeding vestry.

CANON XI.

Of the formation of New Congregations.

When any number of persons belonging to any Parish or congregation, sufficient to build a house of worship and provide for the support of a minister, shall choose to separate from the Parish or congregation of which they have hitherto been a part, they may proceed according to the directions given in Canon X, except that in

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this case the direction as to a line or lines of division is inapplicable. The Council may, on such petition, constitute the applicants a separate congregation, and authorize, by special enactment, such peculiar provisions as to the right of suffrage, the employment of a minister or ministers, and the manner of holding and managing the property of such congregation, as they may propose, and the Council deem expedient: *Provided*, That the time of electing and the manner of qualifying vestrymen shall always be conformed to the regulation prescribed in Canon VIII.

CANON XII.

Of Mission Churches.

SEC. 1. When any number of persons belonging to any Parish or congregation desire a separate and independent organization, but cannot comply with the requirements of the Canon in regard to the formation of new congregations, they may, until they are so able, proceed to organize a Mission Church upon the following conditions:

They must obtain the approval of the vestry of the Parish to which they belonged, and if there be two or more vestries in the Parish they must have the consent of a majority of the same.

They must have the approval of the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese.

They may have their own vestry and officers, whose manner of election, and whose duties shall be according to the provisions of these Canons in regard to the election and duties of other vestries, except that they shall have no representation in the Council of the Diocese, and shall not call a minister without the approval of the ecclesiastical authority.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the vestry of a church organized under this Canon to give notice of the same to the Secretary and Treasurer of the Diocese, and a list of mission Churches so organized shall be published annually in the JOURNAL.

CANON XIII.

Of Colored Mission Churches.

SEC. 1. The colored people of Virginia who are, or may hereafter

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be, connected with the Protestant Episcopal Church, shall constitute a Missionary jurisdiction of the Diocese.

SEC. 2. It shall be lawful to organize Mission Churches or congregations composed exclusively of colored persons, within the limits of any already existing Parish, subject to the same conditions and regulations as are other Mission Churches (see Canon XII), and specially those of this Canon, except that consent of the Vestry or Vestries need not be obtained.

SEC. 3. There may be appointed, by the Bishop, one or more Presbyters who shall have general supervision of such colored churches and congregations as the Bishop may designate, and perform such duties as he may prescribe.

SEC. 4. A Convocation shall be held annually at such time and place as may be designated by the Bishop as to the first meeting, and afterwards by the Convocation itself. The colored ministers of the Diocese, in good standing, shall be members of the Convocation, and it shall be the duty of every such minister to attend its meetings. The Vestry of every Colored Mission Church or congregation shall elect one male lay delegate annually, who, upon the presentation of a certificate signed by the minister (or warden, if there be no minister,) and Register of the Vestry, stating that the delegate is not less than twenty-one years of age, and is a communicant of the Protestant Episcopal Church, shall be entitled to a seat in the Convocation.

The Bishop, the Assistant Bishop (if there be one), and the Presbyters mentioned in Section 3, shall be *ex-officio* members of the Convocation. The Bishop (or in his absence the Assistant Bishop) shall be President of the Convocation.

SEC. 5. The Convocation shall have power to consult and devise measures for their common welfare, which measures shall take effect when approved by the Council of the Diocese.

SEC. 6. The Convocation shall elect annually two clergymen and two laymen to represent them in the Council of the Diocese.

SEC. 7. Colored congregations, constituted as above provided, may acquire and hold property of their own, as by law provided, but cannot come into possession of the property of any white congregation, except by transfer, under the laws of the State of Vir-

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ginia; nor shall any white congregation come into possession of the property of any colored congregation, except by like transfer.

CANON XIV.

Of the Evidence of the Appointment of Lay Delegates to the Council.

The appointment of lay delegates to the Council of this Diocese shall be certified by the rector, register, or warden of the proper Parish or Church, in duplicate, and said certificate shall be in form as follows :

This is to certify, That at a meeting of the vestry of _____ in _____ county, held on the _____ day of _____, 18—, the following named communicants of said _____, viz : Mr. _____, as lay delegate, and Mr. _____, as alternate, were duly appointed to represent the same in the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, to be holden in the city of _____, on the _____ day of _____, in the year of our Lord _____.
 _____, *Rector.*

Register or Warden.

[Return original to Secretary of Council and give duplicate to delegate attending.]

The Secretary shall make out a roll and call the names of all certified to him as duly and canonically elected. The President of the Council shall then appoint a committee, to be composed of one clerical and two lay delegates, to whom shall be referred the credentials of the lay delegates, and who shall report the names of those entitled to seats to the Secretary, and of those claiming but not entitled to seats, to the Council.

Should doubt arise as to the right of any lay delegate to his seat, the matter shall be referred to the Committee on Elections for examination and report.

CANON XV.

Of the Standing Committee.

SEC. 1. Any vacancy occurring by death, or otherwise, in the Standing Committee, shall be supplied by the concurrent vote of the remaining clerical members and lay members of the Committee.

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SEC. 2. In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate,' the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop, as regards discipline, except the pronouncing sentence of suspension, deposition, or degradation from the ministry, shall belong to, and be performed by, the Standing Committee.

SEC. 3. The record of all the proceedings, on a presentment of a clergyman or layman, shall be preserved by the Standing Committee, and for that purpose shall, after a final decision, be delivered to their Secretary.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Standing Committee, before every stated meeting of the General Convention, to draft, with the advice and approbation of the Bishop, a report of the state of the Church in this Diocese, to be presented to the General Convention.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the Standing Committee, at every meeting of the Council, to submit, in addition to the report of their proceedings, the documents also which have been laid before them during the year.

CANON XVI.

A List to be made of Ministers in this Diocese.

SEC. 1. Within one week before every stated meeting of the Council of this Diocese, the Bishop, or, if there be no Bishop, the Standing Committee, shall prepare, or cause to be prepared, a list of all the ministers of the Protestant Episcopal Church, canonically resident in this Diocese, annexing the names of their respective cures, or of their stations as missionaries, or of the colleges, academies, or other seminaries of learning in which they are engaged, or in regard to those who have no cure, or are not engaged in missions or institutions of learning, as above, their places of residence only. And such list, corrected as hereinafter mentioned, shall be laid before the Council on the first day of meeting, and the names of the clerical members called therefrom, and appended to the journal, and shall be transmitted to the Secretary of the General Convention.

SEC. 2. The list of the clergy of this Diocese, so prepared by the Bishop or Standing Committee, and annexed according to the changes which may occur, whether by death, ordination, discipline, or canonical removals from or admission into this Diocese, shall be

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evidence of a clergyman's having a cure or mission, or engagement in a seminary of learning, and no clergyman, while suspended from the ministry, shall have a place on said list.

SEC. 3. The right of any clergyman to a seat in the Council shall, if disputed, be determined according to the provisions of the Constitution and Canons by the Council itself, whether his name be inserted in the list aforesaid or omitted.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the clergy to attend regularly at the meeting of every Council. At the opening of the Council their names shall be called over and absentees noted, and at the ensuing stated Council they shall be required to give excuses for their absence.

CANON XVII.

Respecting the Property of the Church.

The vestries respectively shall hold all glebes, lands, parsonage, houses, churches, books, plate or other property now belonging or hereafter accruing to the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, as trustees for the benefit of the Parish or Church, for whose use the same were or shall hereafter be purchased or otherwise obtained; and may improve, demise, or otherwise dispose of the lands or houses allowed for the minister's habitation or use with the minister's consent; and if there be no minister, with the consent of the Bishop; or in case there be no minister, and the Episcopal Office be vacant, then not without the consent of the Standing Committee. The vestry may also use, improve, or dispose of all personal property, and the produce, rents and profits of lands and houses (not appropriated for the occupancy and use of the minister) belonging to the church, in repairing the church and parsonage house for the benefit of the respective Parishes or churches, and may make such rules and orders for managing the affairs and temporal concerns of their respective churches and Parishes as they shall think most conducive to their interest and prosperity. They shall have the sole power of directing the payment of money belonging to the respective churches and Parishes, and appoint a clerk, treasurer and collector when necessary; all which proceedings shall be entered

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in a well-bound book to be kept for that purpose. But when there are trustees under the act of the Legislature, passed February 3d, 1842, authorized to hold real property, such real property shall not be subject to the provisions of this Canon.

CANON XVIII.

Of Church Property for which there are no Trustees.

The Council shall annually elect a Standing Committee, to consist of two clergymen and three laymen, whose duty it shall be to claim for and on behalf the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, all property, real and personal, belonging to said church or any Parish or congregation thereof, whether said Parish or congregation has been disbanded or not, as to which there are no duly constituted trustees in whom is vested the legal title thereto.

The said Committee shall use all due diligence, by proper legal steps or otherwise, to secure such property to the use and benefit of the said Church, or of the proper Parish or Congregation thereof, and to that end the members of said Committee, or the persons designated by them, are hereby nominated without further action of the Council, to the respective courts to which said Committee may apply, as the trustees for any such property so to be claimed by said Committee.

When any such property shall be recovered by said Committee, it shall be held by the trustees appointed for the use and benefit of this Church, or the Parish or Congregation properly entitled thereto.

CANON XIX.

Offenders to be admonished or repelled from the Lord's Table.

Any member of the Church, being a communicant thereof, conducting himself or herself in a manner unworthy of a Christian, ought to be admonished or repelled from the Lord's Table by the minister of the Parish or Church, according to the Rubric. Gaming, attendance on horse-racing and theatrical amusements, witnessing immodest and licentious exhibitions or shows, attending public balls,

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habitual neglect of public worship, a neglect of the Holy Communion, or a denial of the doctrines of the Gospel, as generally set forth in the authorized standards of the Church, are practices from which all Christians should abstain. This enumeration, however, shall not be construed to include all the subjects of discipline or admonition in the Church. In cases where it may be deemed expedient by the minister, or may be requested by the accused, the Church wardens, or either of them, shall be summoned to assist the minister in ascertaining the facts of the case: *Provided*, that if such warden or wardens shall fail or refuse to act within ten days, the minister shall proceed to act under the Rubrics of this Church.

CANON XX.

Proceedings for the Expenses of the Diocese.

The Vestries of the several Parishes or churches shall, quarterly, or at every annual Council, as each Vestry shall determine for itself, pay to the Treasurer such sums as may be apportioned to them, respectively, for the purpose of defraying such expenses as may be authorized by the Council.

CANON XXI.

Concerning altering or adding to the Canons of the Church.

No proposed alteration or addition to the Canons shall hereafter be considered by the Council, unless at least one day's previous notice be given in open Council, nor until such alteration or addition shall have been referred to and reported upon by a committee of at least two presbyters and two laymen. Nor shall such alteration or addition be adopted during the same Council if two-thirds of the members shall not concur therein; but if the majority be less than two-thirds, it shall lie over for consideration until the next Annual Council.

CANON XXII.

All the former Canons of this Diocese, not included in these Canons, are hereby repealed.



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Church, _____		Parish, _____		Consecrated Ground, _____	
Rector, _____		Deacon, _____		Vestry Clerk, _____	
Treasurer, _____		Steward, _____		Singing School, _____	
BAPTISMS: Adults white, _____		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
Infants white, _____		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
Communications:—White, _____		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
(Communicants)					
Formerly reported white, _____		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
Added white, _____		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
(of which by transfer, _____)		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
Returned, _____		Withdrawn, _____	Suspended, _____	Dead, _____	Total, _____
Present number, _____					
Marriages:—White, _____		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
Deaths:—White, _____		Colored, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
SUNDAY SCHOOLS:—White, Teachers, _____		Scholars, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
Colored: Teachers, _____		Scholars, _____	Total, _____	Aggregates, _____	
Contributions, _____					
Number of Communicants, _____		Number of Scholars Communicants, _____			
Parochial Schools:—Number of paid teachers, _____		Scholars, _____			
Members of the Brotherhood, _____					
Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, _____					
Members of Woman's Auxiliary, _____					
Contributions:					
Parochial:—Regular expenses, including salary, _____		\$ _____			
Other objects, including incidental expenses, _____		\$ _____			
Diocesan:—Missionary Society (including \$— from mis-taken), _____		\$ _____			
Education Society, _____		\$ _____			
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, _____		\$ _____			
Disabled Clergy, _____		\$ _____			
Brotherhood, _____		\$ _____			
P. E. Church Home, _____		\$ _____			
Contingent Fund paid last year, _____		\$ _____			
Other objects in connection with Diocesan, _____		\$ _____			
General:—Foreign Missions, _____		\$ _____			
Domestic Missions, _____		\$ _____			
Virginia Bible Society, _____		\$ _____			
Other general objects, _____		\$ _____			

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That at a meeting of the Vestry of _____, in _____ County, held on the _____ day of _____, 18____, the following named communicants of said _____, viz: Mr. _____, as delegate, and Mr. _____, as alternate, were duly appointed to represent the said _____ in the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, to be held in the city of _____ on the _____ day of _____, in the year of our Lord _____.

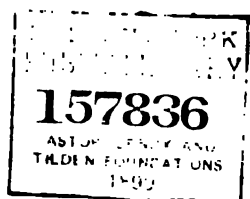
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WINCHESTER,	-	-	-	-	-
RICHMOND,	-	-	-	-	-
CHARLOTTESVILLE,	-	-	-	-	-



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Baughman, C. C., Christ Church, Richmond.

Belches, R., St. Paul's Church, Haymarket Parish, Prince William county.

Bell, John W., St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper Courthouse.

Birckhead, Thomas G., Buck Mountain Church, Albemarle county.

Blackford, L. M., Christ Church, Alexandria.

Bossieux, Cyrus, St. John's Church, Richmond.

Brockenbrough, William A., North Farnham Parish, Richmond county.

Bryan, Joseph, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.

Carey, W. J., Cople Parish, Westmoreland county.

Chichester, D. M., Zion Church, Truro Parish, Fairfax county.

Chilton, C. B., Emmanuel Parish, Fauquier county.

Clagett, H. O., St. James' Church, Leesburg, Loudoun county.

Coates, William F., Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.

Cook, J. C., St. David's Parish, King William county.

Cook, John W., Luray Parish, Page county.

Doggett, Hugh S., St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.

Doswell, Stonewall J., St. James' Church, Ashland.

Dunn, M. L., Christ Church, Albemarle county.

List of Laity

Eagle, Morris, Christ Church, Shelbourne Parish, Loudoun county.

Foster, John H., Grace and Trinity Churches, Fauquier county.

Garnett, James M., Christ Church, Charlottesville.

Gatewood, William K., M. D., St. John's Church, King William county.

Gordon, John W., The Church of The Holy Trinity, Richmond.

Gray, W. F., St. James' Church, Richmond.

Green, John W., St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

Harris, Frank L., Emmanuel Church, Rockingham county.

Harrison, E. C., Westover Parish, Charles City county.

Hopkins, C. A. S., Trinity Church, Prince William county.

Jones, Wm. Ellis, St. Mark's Church, Richmond.

Lacy, Lane, St. Peter's Parish, New Kent county.

Lawrence, R. H., Grace Church, Goochland county.

Lovell, John T., Calvary Church, Front Royal.

Marshall, Wm. C., Leed's Parish, Fauquier county.

Meade, David, Meade Memorial Church, Clarke county.

Meade, Wm. T., St. James' Church, Louisa county.

McCaw, James B., M. D., St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

McGuire, J. M. G., M. D., Clarke Parish, Clarke county.

Nalle, P. P., St. Paul's and Christ Churches, Culpeper county.

Nelson, P. W., Grace Church, Walker's Parish, Albemarle county.

Page, John, St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county.

Page, R. P., Christ Church, Cunningham Chapel Parish, Clarke county.

Palmer, W. H., Grace Church, Richmond.

Pendleton, J. D., Christ Church, Gordonsville.

Pendleton, W. H. K., Emmanuel Church, Piedmont Parish, Fauquier county.

Potts, Thomas, St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

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Ramey, H. B., Grace Church, Alexandria.

Sale, C. J., St. Anne's Parish, Essex county.

Scott, R. Taylor, Hamilton Parish, Fauquier county.

Simmonds, J. B., Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.

Small, A. J., St. Paul's Church, Albemarle county.

Taliaferro, Wm. B., Ware Church, Ware Parish, Gloucester county.

Taylor, John M., Monumental Church, Richmond.

Temple, John, South Farnham Parish, Essex county.

Thornton, Thomas, Upper Truro Parish, Fairfax county.

Tripp, Silas D., Fall's Church, Fairfax county.

Valentine, Frederick S., All Saints' Church, Richmond.

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Williams, John G., St. Thomas' Church, Orange county.

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Wirt, Wm., M. D., Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.

Woolnough, Charles, Emmanuel Church, Albemarle county.

RULES OF ORDER.

ORGANIZATION.

- 1st. The Council shall be opened each day with prayer.
- 2d. After the call to order no member shall remain standing, nor afterward stand except to address the chair.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1st. After the organization of the Council the following order of business shall be observed:

The appointment of a Treasurer *pro tempore* when the Treasurer is absent.

The adoption of rules of order.

The reading of the journal of the preceding day.

The reading of pastoral address.

The appointment of committees.

Report of standing committees.

Report of special committees.

Unfinished business.

- 2d. There shall be appointed by the President, not later than the *second* day of the Council, unless otherwise directed, the following standing committees, to consist of an equal number of each order:

A Committee on the State of the Church, to whom shall be referred the address of the Bishop on the opening of the Council.

A Committee on the Fund for the support of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen.

A Committee on the Episcopal Fund.

A Committee on the Brotherhood.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Disabled Clergy Fund.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Bruce Fund.

Rules of Order.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Missionary Society.

A Committee on Parochial Reports.

A Committee on the Admission of New Parishes.

A Committee on Elections.

A Committee on Finance, consisting of laymen.

A Committee on Clerical Support, consisting of *ten* laymen.

A Committee on Sunday Schools.

3d. Immediately after the Reading of the Bishops' Addresses the Council shall proceed to elect the Standing Committee of the Diocese, the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and such other Committees as are necessary for the transaction of the business of the Diocese until the next annual meeting of the Council.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1st. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, and if in writing, be read by the Secretary, before debate.

2d. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed in possession of the Council, but may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before amendment or decision, with the consent of the second.

3d. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any member require it.

4th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted under color of amendment as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

5th. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a certain day, to commit or to amend; which several motions shall have precedence in the order enumerated.

6th. The previous question shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present; it shall be in this form: "Shall the main question now be put?" and until decided all debate and amendment are precluded.

Rules of Order.

7th. A motion to adjourn, or to lay on the table, shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

8th. When a member desires to speak in debate, or present any matter to the Council, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personality.

9th. If any member transgresses the rules of the Council the President shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately take his seat unless permitted to explain. If the ruling of the President be appealed from, the Council shall decide the appeal without debate.

10th. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

11th. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question without leave of the Council.

12th. The vote on all questions shall be taken by ayes and noes, whenever seven members require it.

13th. Any member may call for the division of the question where the sense will admit of it, but a motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible.

14th. Every member who may be in the house when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

15th. No member shall vote upon a question in the decision of which he is immediately and personally interested.

16th. Upon a division and count of the Council on any question, no member shall be counted who is not within the limits assigned as seats to the members.

17th. When a question has been decided by the Council or postponed indefinitely, it may be reconsidered upon motion made by a member voting in the majority; *provided*, such motion be made on the same or next succeeding day of the session.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1st. No member shall absent himself from the meetings of the Council without leave, unless he be sick or unable to attend.

Rules of Order.

2d. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats without the limits of those allotted to the use of the members, which shall be appropriated to the accommodation of visiting clergymen and candidates for orders who may be invited by the Rector or Wardens of the church in which the meetings of the Council are held, under the direction of the President and Council.

3d. No spectators shall, during the daily sessions of the Council, be admitted above or within the pews allotted to the members, and the Rector and Wardens of the church in which the sessions of the Council are held are directed to see that this rule is enforced.

4th. No rule of order shall be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

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OF THE
Protestant Episcopal Church
IN VIRGINIA.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 15TH, 1895.

The One Hundredth Annual Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia met at 10 A. M. this day in Christ Church for Divine service.

There were present, in the chancel, Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, Rt. Rev. George W. Peterkin, Rt. Rev. John B. Newton, the Rector, Rev. H. B. Lee, and the Rev. Wm. M. Clark. The ante-communion service was read by Bishop Peterkin and the sermon preached by Mr. Clark, from Judges v: 23. "The Prayer for the whole state of Christ Church Militant," was read by Bishop Newton, after which, the Holy Communion was administered by Bishop Whittle, Bishop Newton assisting in distributing the elements.

The Council was called to order at 12 o'clock, by Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, Bishop of the Diocese. The roll was called by the secretary, and the following clergy answered to their names:

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RT. REV. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.

RT. REV. JOHN B. NEWTON.

Rev. Geo. C. Abbitt,	Rev. J. D. LaMothe,
" Thomas M. Ambler,	" W. C. Latané,
" W. W. Brander,	" C. H. Lee,
" E. B. Burwell,	" H. B. Lee,
" Hartley Carmichael, D. D.,	" T. D. Lewis,
" A. B. Chinn,	" T. E. Locke,
" Wm. M. Clark,	" J. K. Mason, D. D.,
" J. C. Cornick,	" L. R. Mason,
" E. W. Cowling,	" E. Meade,
" N. P. Dame,	" G. W. Nelson,
" J. S. Douglas,	" F. W. Neve,
" J. R. Ellis,	" J. J. Norwood,
" Z. S. Farland,	" Pike Powers, D. D.,
" R. A. Goodwin,	" B. M. Randolph,
" C. E. Grammer,	" F. S. Stickney,
" J. J. Gravatt,	" A. C. Thomson,
" Berryman Green,	" Edward Wall,
" A. G. Grinnan, Jr.,	" S. A. Wallis,
" J. S. Hansbrough,	" S. S. Ware,
" C. S. Harrison,	" O. M. Yerger.
" S. S. Hepburn,	

The roll of Lay Delegates, whose certificates had been sent to the Secretary, was then called, and the following Laymen answered to their names:

G. A. Barksdale,	W. F. Gray,
C. C. Baughman,	Dr. F. L. Harris,
Thomas G. Birkhead,	E. C. Harrison,
W. A. Brockenbrough,	Wm. Ellis Jones,
Jos. Bryan,	David Meade,
C. B. Chilton,	John Page,
Captain H. O. Claggett,	Dr. James D. Pendleton,
W. F. Coates,	Thomas Potts,
J. C. Cooke,	Major R. T. Scott,
Captain H. S. Doggett,	J. B. Simmonds,
Morris Eagle,	A. J. Small,
Jno. H. Foster,	Judge W. B. Taliaferro,
James M. Garnett,	R. Carter Welford,
Dr. W. K. Gatewood,	J. G. Williams,
Jno. W. Gordon,	C. Woolnough.

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A quorum of both orders being present, the Council was declared organized and ready for business.

The Bishop then appointed the following Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates:

Rev. Berryman Green, Mr. Jas. M. Garnett and Mr. J. C. Cooke.

The Rev. H. B. Lee offered the following resolutions which were adopted:

Resolved, That the Rules of Order of the last Council be adopted as the rules of Order for this Council.

Resolved, That, beginning to-morrow, the following be the hours for religious services and business: The morning session of the Council to last from 30 A. M. to 2 P. M., with a recess at 11 o'clock for Divine service. The afternoon session to last from 4 to 6 o'clock.

The Rev. Carl E. Grammer moved to amend the above by meeting at 10 A. M. for Divine service, which motion was lost.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved that the first order of business this afternoon be the consideration of the Virginia Branch of the Women's auxiliary.

Carried.

Bishop Whittle then invited the Bishop of West Virginia to a seat by the President, and the visiting clergy, the candidates for orders, and the ministers of other churches present, to seats in the Council.

APPOINTMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Assistant Bishop then announced the following Standing Committees:

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Rev. R. A. Goodwin,
" G. W. Nelson,
" P. P. Phillips,
" N. P. Dame,

Mr. Albert Baker,
" Wm. A. Brockenbrough,
" J. W. Green,
Dr. Wm. K. Gatewood.

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WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

Rev. S. S. Ware, Mr. H. O. Clagett.

EPISCOPAL FUND.

Rev. J. V. Downman, Dr. Frank L. Harris.

BROTHERHOOD.

Mr. L. M. Blackford, Dr. J. M. G. McGuire,
Mr. John G. Williams.

DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

Rev. T. D. Lewis, Mr. Hugh S. Doggett.

BRUCE FUND.

Rev. Jno. S. Hansbrough, Mr. Wm. Ellis Jones.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Rev. J. J. Norwood, Mr. George A. Barksdale,
" W. W. Brander, " C. C. Baughman.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Rev. E. B. Burwell, Mr. Charles Woolnough,
" J. C. Cornick, Dr. J. D. Pendleton,
" C. H. Lee, Mr. J. M. Taylor.

NEW PARISHES.

Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., Judge Wm. B. Taliaferro,
" Carter Page, " J. T. Lovell.

ELECTIONS.

Rev. Henderson Suter, D. D., Mr. John W. Bell.

FINANCE.

Mr. Joseph Bryan, Mr. Wm. C. Marshall,
" R. C. Wellford, " Mr. Thomas Potts,
Mr. R. Belches.

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CLERICAL SUPPORT.

Major R. T. Scott,
 Dr. J. B. McCaw,
 Mr. R. P. Page,
 " Wm. F. Gray,
 " A. Y. Small,

Mr. John W. Gordon,
 " J. W. Cook,
 Dr. Wm. B. Amiss,
 Mr. Thomas Thornton,
 " Silas D. Tripp.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Rev. R. A. Castleman,
 " J. J. Gravatt,
 " E. S. Hinks,

Mr. C. B. Chilton,
 " W. R. Cary,
 " E. C. Harrison.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE DIOCESE.

The reports of the Trustees of the Trust Funds of the Diocese were then presented by Bishop Newton and a resolution offered, which was passed, that these reports be referred to their proper Committees.

RICHMOND, VA., MAY 8TH, 1895.

Herewith, we respectfully submit a copy of the Charter, Constitution and By-Laws of the Trustees of the Funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, and a corrected list of the officers and Standing Committees—several changes becoming necessary on account of the resignation of the Rev. D. F. Sprigg, D. D., and death of Messrs. F. H. McGuire, C. E. Whitlock and B. J. Barbour, of the Trustees nominated at last Council. We also submit the reports of the treasurers of the various Standing Committees, viz: The Disabled Clergy Fund, Widows' and Orphans' Fund, Episcopal Fund and Bruce Fund, which have been audited and approved.

JOHN B. NEWTON, *President*.

JAS. M. BALL, *Sec. and Treas.*

REPORT OF THE VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE.

The report of the Principal of the Virginia Female Institute was then read by the Secretary:

VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE, *May, 1895.*

To the RT. REV. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., LL.D.,

President of the Board of Trustees:

Dear Sir: The time approaches for the meeting of the Council of the Virginia Dioceses; I, therefore, make ready my Annual Report.

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Our present session opened September 13th, 1894, with forty (40) boarders and fifteen (15) day pupils. The number of boarders increased to seventy-one (71) during the first few weeks. From various providential causes five (5) boarders were called home at the close of the first term; but two (2) new names were added to the role, February 1st, 1895, so that our number, representing fourteen States, has been well kept up.

Sixteen of our pupils have had the benefit of free tuition in all English branches, and to three assistance has been largely given on their board account.

The school has never been more abundantly blessed. The health of *all* has been uniformly good; the conduct and bearing of the pupils, as a general thing, above reproach, while spiritually, a most gratifying condition has existed.

A class of twelve (12) was prepared and presented for Confirmation by the rector of Emmanuel Church, April 28th, of this number *one* was baptized. Easter-even, by Rev. Mr. Jett; four others were confirmed, at Easter, among their own people.

Each year an effort is made to advance the character of our school, and the standard of scholarship has been greatly raised within the past few years, as is proven by the thorough and excellent work done, both by teachers and pupils. Those who *know* of our work express themselves as well satisfied.

The grounds and enclosures are in admirable order; the buildings, however, need painting; this, it is hoped, can be done in the early summer.

Repeated and earnest solicitations have been made for the co-operation of the Church in an effort to enlarge and modernize the buildings, but as yet without encouragement. The want of an additional hall is *constantly* felt, as the only *assembly room* is the "school room," which is not sufficiently large to accommodate *comfortably* our own numbers when all are called together at one time.

Until our Board of Trustees and our Councils take action in this advancement of their only Diocesan School for girls, it is scarcely worth while to solicit aid elsewhere. Cannot something decisive be done this spring by the Councils of Virginia and Southern Virginia. If this third appeal fails to make an impression, we shall, indeed, have cause to fear that either our needs are considered imaginary and unnecessary, or *we* are very poor pleaders. I am,

Very respectfully,

MRS. J. E. B. STUART.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

The Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., read the report of the Committee appointed at the last Council to examine the office of the Secretary, which was as follows:

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The committee appointed at the last Council to examine the condition of the Secretary's office, report that they have done this, and find that the present Secretary received from his predecessor:

1st. A full set of Journals of the Conventions or Councils of the Diocese of Virginia, *i. e.*, Dr. Hawk's Book, which contains Journals of the Conventions of this Diocese from 1785 to 1835, and twelve bound volumes of the Conventions from 1836 to 1892.

2d. That there are no Journals of the General Conventions for the period between 1785 and 1850. That there are twelve volumes (seven of which are bound in cloth, and the rest in paper) containing Journals of the General Conventions from 1850 to 1892.

3d. That there are in the office of Mr. Wm. Ellis Jones about 200 volumes of Dr. Dashiell's Digest of the Councils of Virginia.

4th. There are twenty-four copies of the Journals of the General Convention of 1892.

Your Committee would offer the following resolutions, and would move that they be referred to the Finance Committee:

1. *Resolved* (The Finance Committee approving), That the Secretary be authorized to have Dr. Hawk's book rebound.

2d. To purchase Bishop Perry's "Half Century of Legislation of the American Church, being the Journals of the General Convention from 1785 to 1835."

3d. To have the copies of the Journals of the General Convention in the office, which are now bound in paper, bound in boards.

4th. That as one-half the volumes of Dr. Dashiell's Book belong to the Diocese of Southern Virginia, that the Secretary be authorized to notify the authorities of that Diocese of this fact, and ask for instructions in regard to them.

The Secretary of the Council asks, through your committee, what disposition is to be made of the volumes of Dr. Dashiell's Book belonging to this Diocese.

The resolutions in it were adopted.

On motion of the Rev. N. P. Dame the following resolutions were adopted:

1st. *Resolved*, That the Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D., be invited to address the Council this afternoon at 4 o'clock on the subject of the Woman's Auxiliary.

2d. *Resolved*, That the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary be

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invited to attend the meeting of the Council in a body this afternoon at o'clock.

The Committee appointed to revise the form of Parochial report reported as follows:

The Committee appointed at the last Council to revise the form of Parochial reports report that they performed the duty assigned them, and adopte the form as printed on the back of the Journal.

Respectfully submitted,

E. MEADE,
J. K. MASON, *Committee.*

The following clergymen appeared and took their seats:

Rev. C. E. Ball,	Rev. Carter Page,
" J. H. Birckhead,	" Cornelius Walker, D. D.,
" R. A. Castleman,	" Henderson Suter, D. D.,
" James Grammer, D. D.,	" J. W. Johnson (colored),
" E. S. Hinks,	" J. Y. Downman,
" E. V. Jones,	" D. C. T. Davis,
" Wm. B. Lee,	" T. W. Vaughan (colored).

The following Lay Delegates appeared and took their seats:

Mr. John W. Bell,	Mr. W. H. K. Pendleton,
" Cyrus Bossieux,	" R. H. Lawrence,
" M. I. Dunn,	" J. T. Lovell,
" John W. Green,	" J. M. Taylor,
" P. P. Nalle,	" C. A. S. Hopkins,
" R. P. Page,	" P. W. Nelson,
" Frederick S. Valentine,	" J. W. Cook,
" F. L. Willis,	" H. B. Ramey.
Dr. J. B. McCaw,	

The Secretary then read a list of the parishes and churches of th Diocese, and asked permission, which was granted, to print it in th Journal for 1895.

Resolved, That the Secretary be authorized to publish in the Journal th following list of parishes and churches in the Diocese of Virginia:

LIST OF PARISHES AND CHURCHES IN VIRGINIA.

Albemarle County.—Fredericksville Parish: Buck Mountain, St. Paul's, S

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John the Baptist Chapel, Christ, St. Luke's and Edgehill Chapel. **Greenwood Parish**: Emmanuel. **Walker's Parish**: Grace. **St. Anne's Parish**: Christ and St. John's.

Alexandria County.—**Fairfax Parish**: Christ, St. Paul's, Grace, Meade Chapel (colored).

Caroline County.—**Drysdale Parish**: St. Margaret's Chapel. **St. Mary's Parish**: St. Peter's and Grace.

Charles City County.—**Westover Parish**: Mapsico, Westover and Grace.

Clarke County.—**Cunningham Chapel Parish**: Christ, Emmanuel Chapel and Old Chapel. **Clarke Parish**: Grace. **Wickliffe Parish**: Wickliffe. **Greenway Court Parish**: Meade Memorial.

Culpeper County.—**St. Mark's Parish**: St. Stephen's and Little Fork. **Ridley Parish**: Christ, St. Paul's and Calvary. **Slaughter Parish**: Emmanuel and All Saints' Chapel.

Essex County.—**St. Anne's Parish**: Vawter's and St. Matthew's. **South Farmham Parish**: St. Paul's, St. John's and St. Luke's.

Fairfax County.—**Truro Parish**: Zion, The Good Shepherd, Pohick and Olivet. **Upper Truro Parish**: Christ, St. John's and St. Timothy's. **Fairfax Parish**: Falls, St. John's, Theological Seminary Chapel, Trinity Chapel, St. Paul's Chapel, The Good Shepherd (colored), St. John's (West End). **Centreville Parish**: St. John's.

Fauquier County.—**Hamilton Parish**: St. James' and Chapel (Baldwin's Ridge). **Cedar Run Parish**: St. Stephen's. **Leed's Parish**: Leed's, Bethel Mission and South Run Mission. **Meade Parish**: Trinity. **Whittle Parish**: Church of Our Saviour, Trinity, Grace and Whittle Chapel. **Piedmont Parish**: Emmanuel. **Emmanuel Parish**: Grace and St. Luke's.

Fluvanna County.—**Rivanna Parish**: St. John's and Grace.

Frederick County.—**Frederick Parish**: Christ. **St. Thomas' Parish**: St. Thomas'.

Gloucester County.—**Abingdon Parish**: Abingdon, Holy Innocents' Chapel. **Ware Parish**: Ware.

Goochland County.—**St. James' Northam Parish**: St. Paul's, All Saints', Grace and St. Mary's.

Hanover County.—**St. Martin's Parish**: Fork, St. Martin's, Trinity, Church of Our Saviour. **St. Paul's Parish**: Emmanuel and St. Paul's. **Ashland Parish**: St. James'.

Henrico County.—**Henrico Parish**: St. John's, Weddell Memorial Chapel, Chapel of Good Shepherd (colored), Monumental, St. Paul's, St. Paul's Chapel, St. Andrew's, St. James', Christ, Chapel of the Redeemer, Grace,

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St. Mark's, Holy Trinity, All Saints', St. Luke's, St. Philip's (colored), Emmanuel, Epiphany Chapel at Barton Heights.

King George County.—St. Paul's Parish: St. Paul's. Hanover Parish: St. John's and Emmanuel. Brunswick Parish: Lamb's Creek.

King and Queen County.—St. Stephen's Parish: Immanuel Chapel.

King William County.—St. David's Parish: St. David's. St. John's Parish: St. John's.

Lancaster County.—Christ Church Parish: Christ, White Chapel, Grace and Trinity.

Loudoun County.—Shelbourne Parish: St. Paul's, Mount Calvary, Christ, St. James', Belmont Chapel and Church of Our Saviour. John's Parish: Emmanuel and Church of the Redeemer.

Louisa County.—Green Spring Parish: St. John's and Chapel. Trinity Parish: St. James'.

Madison County.—Bromfield Parish: Piedmont.

Mathews County.—Kingston's Parish: Christ and Trinity.

Middlesex County.—Christ Church Parish: Christ.

New Kent County.—St. Peter's Parish: St. Peter's.

Northumberland County.—Wicomico Parish: Wicomico. St. Stephen's Parish: St. Stephen's.

Orange County.—St. Thomas' Parish: St. Thomas', Christ and St. Paul's Chapel (colored).

Page County.—Luray Parish: Christ and Calvary.

Prince William County.—Dettingen Parish: St. James', Trinity and Quaker. Haymarket Parish: St. Paul's and Grace Chapel.

Rappahannock County.—Bloomfield Parish: St. Paul's and Trinity.

Richmond County.—Lunenburg Parish: St. John's. North Farnham Parish: Emmanuel.

Rockingham County.—Rockingham Parish: Emmanuel and Grace Memorial.

Shenandoah County.—Beckford Parish: St. Andrew's and Emmanuel.

Spotsylvania County.—St. George's Parish: St. George's, Trinity, St. George's Chapel and Christ.

Stafford County.—Overwharton Parish: Aquia and Clifton Chapel.

Warren County.—St. Thomas' Parish: Calvary.

Westmoreland County.—Washington Parish: St. Peter's and Payne's Chapel. Cople Parish: Nominy, Yeocomico and Cople Chapel. Montross Parish: St. James' and St. Paul's Chapel.

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The Secretary read the report of the Treasurer of the Brotherhood and moved that it be referred to the proper committee.

Carried.

The Rev. C. E. Grammer moved that the report of the Committee on the Form of Parochial Reports be accepted and approved.

Carried.

The report of Mr. J. L. Williams, Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society, was then presented and referred to its proper committee.

On motion of Bishop Newton a notice from the Secretary of the General Convention in regard to a proposed change in the Constitution was read and referred to a committee of two clergymen and one laymen. The Chair appointed Rev. G. W. Nelson, Rev. C. E. Grammer and Major R. Taylor Scott as such committee.

The Rev. S. A. Wallis moved to make the election of Delegates to the next General Convention the order of the day for Thursday afternoon.

Adopted.

On motion, adjourned to meet at 4 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, 4 P. M.

Council met pursuant to adjournment, Rev. G. W. Nelson in the chair.

A motion was then adopted, offered by Rev. H. B. Lee, that the Council meet to-morrow at 10 A. M., in place of 9:30.

The report of the Secretary of the Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was read by Rev. J. J. Gravatt, and a motion was adopted

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that it be accepted and published in the Journal. [For report see appendix.]

Addresses were made by the Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D., the Rev. R. A. Goodwin and Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D.

Adjourned to meet at 8 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment, the Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D., in the chair.

After Divine service, conducted by Rev. Wm. M. Clark, the Rev. Dr. Powers read the report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA.

The Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia respectfully report that they have aided, in the course of the past year, parishes, churches or missions in the counties of Albemarle, Caroline, Culpeper, Essex, Fairfax, Fauquier, Fluvanna, Frederick, Gloucester, Greene, Hanover, Henrico, King George, King and Queen, King William, Lancaster, Loudoun, Louisa, Madison, Mathews, Middlesex, New Kent, Northumberland, Orange, Page, Rappahannock, Richmond, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Spotsylvania, Stafford and Westmoreland, and have promised aid to churches in Clarke and Warren, leaving only four counties which are not aided or to be aided by us—viz: Alexandria, Charles City, Goochland and Prince William. In this enumeration are included those counties in which any regular work is done by a non-resident minister who is aided by the Executive Committee.

It seems, sometimes, as if we should have to carry the whole Diocese outside of the cities and larger towns. We are satisfied that in some, perhaps in many cases, the people could do more if they would. The best way to help the Diocesan Missionary Society is for such parishes and churches to support themselves if they can. It not only relieves the Executive Committee of an appropriation which may be applied elsewhere, and which is always greater than their contributions, but it gives them the satisfaction of not being

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dependent upon any one but God and themselves. It may not be amiss to state here the experience of a parish which three years ago was receiving aid from the Committee. Since that time a single church in that parish has called and obtained a minister, promising to pay his salary themselves if he would give them services every Sunday. This has been done, the salary has been paid and more, and God has blessed them with a remarkable increase of communicants. While exceptional causes may have existed in this case which do not operate in other parishes, and while the best efforts of a faithful minister seem often to be followed by little fruit, yet we can but think that in this case the spirit of self-help developed among the people, and of earnest co-operation with the minister, had something to do with the result. God helps those who help themselves. Two or three parishes have become vacant by resignation and one by the death of the minister, but they will doubtless be filled in the course of the year, and appropriations have already been promised them by the Committee.

The work of the Evangelist has been most faithful and efficient, in visiting vacant churches, in having communion in churches in charge of deacons, in helping vacant churches by his counsel and efforts to combine and get a minister, and in keeping us advised of the state of the churches in all parts of the Diocese.

The mission work in the counties of Louisa, Madison, Orange and Greene has been well done by Rev. J. R. Ellis and Rev. E. W. Cowling, and in Albemarle by Rev. H. B. Lee and Rev. A. G. Grinnan, with substantial help in both cases from the Executive Committee.

The Treasurer reports a total of receipts from all sources from May 5th, 1894, to May 13th, 1895, of \$7,115.93, which is considerably larger than the receipts of 1893-'4. Of the total receipts, the contributions of the children amount to \$2,041.88. The disbursements to parishes, churches and missions, to the salary of the Evangelist and other expenses connected with the work of the Committee, amounted to \$7,504.54, and the balance on hand is \$1,942.39. The number of ministers helped in the course of the year has been thirty-one; present number, twenty-seven. The appropriations to parishes, &c., range from \$50 to \$300, the greater number being in sums of \$150 and \$200. The salary of the Evangelist, whose special work is to serve vacant parishes, to visit churches in charge of deacons and administer the communion, has been this year \$1,200, and his collections for the Diocesan Missionary Society have exceeded his expenses by \$200, making the charge to the Diocesan Missionary Society \$1,000.

The Sunday-schools which have reported one Sunday's collection every month for Diocesan Missionary Society, besides their lenten offerings, are the Sunday-schools of St. James' Church, Richmond; Christ Church, Charlottesville; St. Andrew's Church, Richmond; St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond; Grace Church, Alexandria; and Trinity Church, Fredericksburg; and per-

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haps one or two others. We do not see why all cannot do this, and it would add a considerable sum to our receipts. The Committee on Sunday-schools at the last Council reported an aggregate of 6,658 Sunday-school children. If these gave an average of one cent it would make, say \$67 a month, and this for ten months, outside of Lent, would make \$670. And when the Sunday-school of one city church gave, since Council, \$53 in this way, the estimate we have given for the whole does not seem too large.

We repeat the suggestion which we have made before, that the other Sunday-school collections, or at least a part of them, be applied to other missionary work. Every Christian parent and teacher must wish the children to be interested in Missions and to be trained to give to missions. Surely the blessing of the first great Missionary, our Lord Jesus Christ, on our Church in Virginia, cannot be expected if we are content to confine our work to our own home field, and let our Christian charity begin at home and stay at home. We thank God for His blessing on our work so far, we thank the people and the children for their contributions, and we pray and hope for better work and a greater blessing in future. All which is respectfully submitted.

PIKE POWERS,

Secretary D. M. S. of Va.

Addresses were then made by Mr. Thomas Potts, Revs. J. R. Ellis and E. S. Hinks.

The offerings of the congregation were then taken for the Diocesan Missionary Society.

The Council, after prayer by Rev. L. R. Mason, adjourned until Thursday at 10 A. M.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.,

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1895, 10 A. M.

The Council was opened with prayer, after which it was called to order by Bishop Whittle. The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

Bishop Whittle then read his address.

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BISHOP WHITTLE'S ADDRESS.

MY DEAR BRETHREN OF THE COUNCIL:

This being the one hundredth session of the annual Council of the Diocese of Virginia, it may be expected that I will say something in this address in reference to the interesting occasion. And I would be glad to comply with this natural and proper expectation did not my physical infirmities prevent me from doing so. But my sight is so imperfect that it is only with great difficulty I can write at all, and I am therefore obliged to confine myself to a simple statement of such items of the affairs of the Diocese as the canon expressly requires me to lay before you. I trust that Bishop Newton will feel perfectly free now and at all times to speak on this or any other subject, and to make any suggestions or recommendations that he may think will help to advance the interests of our beloved church. His report and mine will show an encouraging condition of the Diocese, but while there is much for which we should be thankful, no doubt progress and improvement may be made in many directions. Our first and ever pressing work is to sustain and build up our feeble country parishes, where are to be found the large majority of our churches, and on which the future of the Diocese depends. Hence I would again and again urge on every minister and lay member of the church, not simply the great importance, but the absolute necessity of liberally supporting our Diocesan Education and Missionary Societies.

I have been able during the past year to visit and officiate as follows:

- 1894. May 6.—Christ Church, Charlottesville, confirmed fourteen.
- May 6.—St. Luke's Chapel, Charlottesville, confirmed three.
- May 13.—Emmanuel, Henrico, confirmed five.
- June 5.—St. Philip's (colored), Richmond, confirmed six.
- June 9.—Grace, Rockingham, confirmed none.
- June 10.—Calvary, Shenandoah, Page county, confirmed eight.
- June 25.—Trinity Chapel, Alexandria county, confirmed ten.
- June 26.—Episcopal High School, confirmed two.
- October 19.—St. Paul's, Hanover, confirmed three.

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October 28.—Weddell Memorial, Richmond, confirmed six.
 November 18.—St. James', Louisa C. H., confirmed four.
 December 30.—St. James', Richmond, confirmed one.
 1895, March 3.—St. James', Richmond, confirmed two.
 March 24.—St. Paul's, Richmond, confirmed twenty-three.
 March 24th.—St. John's, Richmond, confirmed thirty.
 March 31st.—Holy Trinity, Richmond, confirmed ten.
 March 31st.—Monumental, Richmond, confirmed twenty-six.
 April 7th.—St. Andrew's, Richmond, confirmed seven.
 April 7th.—All Saints (1) Monumental, confirmed nineteen.
 April 14th.—Grace, Richmond, confirmed thirteen.
 April 14th.—St. James (1) Holy Trinity, confirmed twenty-three.
 April 21st.—Christ, Richmond, confirmed seventeen.
 April 21st.—St. Mark's, Richmond, confirmed twelve.
 April 25th.—St. George's, Fredericksburg, confirmed three.
 April 28th.—Christ, Alexandria, confirmed twenty-one.
 April 28th.—St. Paul's, Alexandria, confirmed fifteen.
 April 29th.—Fall's Church, Fairfax, confirmed two.
 April 30th.—Vienna, confirmed nine.

The Confirmation in Fredericksburg was the third during the year, making the whole number over sixty.

Vienna, Fairfax, was visited for the first time. The Rev. R. A. Castleman has been laboring there for only a few months, but most faithfully and successfully. Nine were confirmed, and he has enrolled about thirty communicants.

The people hope soon to build a church, and in the meantime, have been fortunate in securing the use of a convenient and comfortable hall in which to hold their services.

The work in this Brother's large field of labor, and indeed in all this part of the Diocese, is very encouraging. I have confirmed more than fifty than are here reported since the last Council, but I close my report with the month of April.

POSTULANTS.

The following Postulants have been received: R. C. Cowling, George P. Mayo, Wm. H. Laird, Jr., Elliott B. Meredith, Wil-

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loughby N. Claybrook, Austin B. Mitchell, Nathan Matthews, William Henry Osmond, Robert B. Nelson, Walter B. Stehl.

CANDIDATES FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS.

The following have been admitted candidates for Priest's Orders: William H. K. Pendleton, John H. Griffith, Jr., Hugh McD. Martin, William H. Laird, Jr.

LETTERS DIMISSORY GIVEN.

James F. Aitkins and Thomas P. Baker to South Carolina; Frank Steed to Pittsburg; D. Funsten Ward, Western Texas; J. Mosley Murray, Massachusetts; S. P. Watters, Florida; C. R. Kuyk and J. Francis Ribble, Southern Virginia; W. Cabell Brown, Lucien L. Kinsolving, John G. Meem and James W. Morris to West Virginia. These last four, missionaries in Brazil, were transferred to West Virginia because the Bishop of that Diocese is in charge of the mission.

LETTERS DIMISSORY ACCEPTED.

Fenner S. Stickney from North Carolina; Edward Wall, Maryland; E. L. Goodwin, Southern Virginia.

CHURCHES CONSECRATED.

1894, June 10th, Calvary, Shenandoah, Page county, the Rev. Joseph R. Jones and Frank Steed, rector, assisting in the service. This nice and commodious building, with a flourishing congregation, were built up in an entirely new field of labor by the faithful and efficient efforts of Mr. Steed.

October 19th, St. Paul's, Hanover C. H., Rev. S. S. Hepburn rector. This pretty and appropriate building was erected by the earnest and vigorous efforts of pastor and people, to replace one destroyed by fire only a few months before. A number of the Richmond clergy assisted in the services, the Rev. J. J. Gravatt preaching the sermon.

The destruction of the former St. Paul's Church ought to be a

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warning to Vestries and people to take care that the church buildings and rectories are insured.

DEACONS ORDAINED.

In the Theological Seminary Chapel, June 29th, 1894, John D. LaMothe, Zebulon S. Farland, Thomas Semmes, Edward W. Cowling, John S. Douglas, Andrew G. Grinnan, Jr., Austin B. Chinn, James Fley Aitkens. Also for Bishop Randolph, of Southern Virginia, who was sick, Hickman S. Simmerman, Robert S. Coupland, Walter DeForest Johnson, Aldred A. Pruden.

In St. Paul's Church, Petersburg, July 1st, 1894, for Bishop Randolph, James F. Plummer, Joseph Bragg Dunn.

PRESBYTERS ORDAINED.

In St. John's Church, Richmond, May 20th, 1894, assisted by the rector, Revs. R. A. Goodwin, Joseph R. Jones and E. L. Goodwin, who preached the sermon, Revs. Christian R. Kuyk and Frank Steed.

In St. Paul's, Petersburg, July 1st, 1894, for Bishop Randolph, Revs. E. Stirling Gunn and William A. R. Goodwin. Revs. C. R. Hains, Rector, and E. L. Goodwin assisted in the services. Sermon by latter.

In St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, April 25th, 1895, Rev. Arthur C. Thomson presented by the Rector, Rev. William M. Clark. Rev. J. R. Ellis preached the sermon, and Rev. J. Y. Downman and Rev. J. C. Gray assisted in the services.

CLERICAL CHANGES WITHIN THE DIOCESE.

The Rev. Samuel A. Wallis, Rector of Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county, has become a Professor in the Theological Seminary; Rev. Edward Wall is Rector of Grace Church, Berryville; Rev. F. S. Stickney, of Monumental Church, Richmond; Rev. E. L. Goodwin is Rector of St. Stephen's, Culpeper; Rev. A. B. Chinn is in charge of Cople Parish, Westmoreland; Rev. E. W. Cowling, as assistant to Rev. J. R. Ellis, is laboring in Madison and Louisa counties; Rev. John S. Douglas is in charge of the churches in Page county, and of Grace Church, Rockingham; Rev. Z. S.

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Farland is assistant at St. Paul's, Richmond; Rev. A. G. Grinnan, Jr., is assistant to Rev. H. B. Lee, Charlottesville, and in charge of Buck Mountain Church, Albemarle; Rev. J. D. LaMothe is in charge of the churches at Hamilton, Round Hill and Goresville, Loudoun county, and Rev. Thomas Semmes, of North Farnham and Lunenburg Parishes, Richmond county.

MINISTERS DECEASED.

It is my sad duty to have to report that three of our brethren of the clergy have been called from the Church Militant to join the Church Triumphant, during the past year.

Rev. Charles Minnigerode, D. D., an eminent Christian, pastor and preacher, a native of Germany, but from his early manhood thoroughly identified with the people and Church of Virginia, departed this life at his home in Alexandria, October 19th, 1894, in the 81st year of his age.

He was for more than thirty years the faithful and beloved Rector of St. Paul's Church, Richmond, but had retired for several years from active labor because of feeble health.

During his whole ministry he was prominent and active in all our church work and Councils, and was well known throughout the Diocese.

Rev. Joseph R. Jones, a gentle, quiet, modest Christian character, for many years Rector of the churches at Front Royal and White Post, died while faithfully engaged in the Master's service, at his home in Millwood, August 15th, 1894, in the 65th year of his age.

October 25th, 1894, the Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D., Professor of Greek Language, New Testament Literature, Church Polity and Pastoral Theology in The Theological Seminary of Virginia, and also rector of the mission stations around the Institution, was called to cease from his labors, in the 56th year of his age. The Church sustained in the death of this eminent Christian and scholar, a double loss.

For the reason already mentioned, and because it is not necessary, I say nothing more of these dearly beloved brethren and friends.

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I have also to report the death, April 6th, 1895, at his home in Fredericksburg, of Mr. W. S. S. Downman, a candidate for Holy Orders. He was a Godly and promising young man, and his death is deeply regretted.

January 1st, 1895, Rev. H. Suter, D. D., accepted the office of Examining Chaplain, to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of the Rev. S. A. Wallis, elected to the Chair of the late Dr. Nelson, in The Theological Seminary.

I have great pleasure in announcing that on April 17th, 1895, Miss Mary E. Jones, formerly of Buchanan, Va., was received as a candidate for the order of Deaconess in our Church. She is studying and laboring in the Parish, and under the direction of Rev. R. A. Goodwin, Rector of St. John's, Richmond, and expects to be formally set apart for her work, after due trial and examination, within the year. I trust this may be the beginning of the restoration in our Diocese of this ancient Christian Order of the Church, and that it may not be long before every city rector shall have at least one of such invaluable helpers in his work.

LAY READERS LICENSED.

F. H. Moss and LeRoy Baxley, Leeds' Church, Fauquier; Chas. E. Cary, Ware Parish, Gloucester; L. Carter Catlett, Abingdon Parish, Gloucester; D. M. Chichester, Zion Church, Fairfax; E. Bander, Trinity, Manassas; Joseph Bryan and T. C. Ruffin, Emmanuel, Henrico; William J. Cary, Cople Parish, Westmoreland; James H. Morrison, Christ Church, Luray; Wash. Tennent, St. Paul's Parish, King George; H. I. Lewis and W. A. Trigg, St. John's Church, West Point; Geo. P. Hodgson, St. John's, Fluvanna; M. I. Dunn, St. Anne's Parish, Albemarle; C. I. Nourse, Grace Church, Fauquier.

The Evangelist has performed laborious, faithful and valuable service during the past year, and ought, in my judgment, certainly to be continued in his work.

June 19th, and again July 2d, I attended a meeting of the Trustees of the Bishop Payne Divinity and Industrial School, Petersburg. This school has a valuable piece of property and an encouraging

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number of students, but not one, I am sorry to say, from this Diocese.

Any persons who desire to aid in the colored work cannot do better, in my opinion, than contribute to the funds of this Institution, to enable it to meet current expenses.

A good part of the month of June I spent at our Theological Seminary, attending examinations and various meetings, and aiding in promoting its interests.

SUMMARY.

Visitations.....	26
Baptisms (infants).....	5
Confirmations (white, 288; colored, 6).....	294
Postulants.....	10
Candidates for Priest's Orders.....	4
Deacons ordained.....	8
Presbyters ordained.....	3
Ministers deceased.....	3
Letters Dimissory given.....	13
Letters Dimissory accepted.....	3
Lay Readers licensed.....	16
Present number of ministers (2 colored).....	76
Number engaged in Parochial work (2 colored).....	69
Churches consecrated.....	2
Number of churches and chapels (5 colored).....	162

May grace, mercy and peace from God, our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ, be with each one of you, dear brethren of the Clergy and Laity, both now and forever.

ASSISTANT BISHOP NEWTON'S ADDRESS.

Bishop Newton then read his address:

*To the Rt. Rev. Bishop of the Diocese of
Virginia and to the Clergy and Laity:*

MY DEAR BRETHREN: In this, my first report as Assistant-Bishop of Virginia, my thoughts turn in grateful acknowledgement of all His goodness and mercy, to Him "in whom we live and move and have our being." Through His over-ruling providence, I have been

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enabled to fill my many engagements without interruption by sickness or other hindrance. I must also express my warm appreciation of the kindness and needed help extended to me by the Bishop and by the Clergy and Laity throughout the Diocese.

Immediately after my consecration, I entered upon the duties incident to the session of the Council, then assembled in Richmond.

On Sunday, May 21st, at 11 A. M., after service by Rev. James Grammer, D. D., I preached in the Monumental Church, then without a rector; in the afternoon, after sermon by Rev. Pike Powers, D. D., at Christ Church, I confirmed five; at night, preached at St. Paul's, by request of the rector.

May 21st, preached at West Point and confirmed six.

May 22d, read service and preached at St. Peter's, New Kent; confirmed none.

May 23d, Emmanuel, Hanover, preached and confirmed nine.

May 24th, Hanover C. H., preached and confirmed three.

The service at this point was had in the old Courthouse in which I was told Bishop Moore held his first service in the parish. Since my visit, St. Paul's Church, which was burned a few months before, has been replaced, through the commendable zeal of the Rev. S. S. Hepburn and his people, by a neat and comfortable structure, paid for and consecrated.

May 25th, at "Fork," Hanover, preached and confirmed two.

May 25th (afternoon), at St. Martin's, Hanover, preached and confirmed none.

May 26th, at St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline, preached and confirmed five. Here the hall in which our people held service for several years, is being replaced by a neat church. For which the little flock in this new field deserve hearty commendation.

May 27th I preached in the morning at the "Church of our Saviour," Hanover, and confirmed none; in the afternoon at Trinity, Hanover, and confirmed none.

May 30th, at St. Mary's, Goochland, preached and confirmed five.

May 31st, at Goochland Courthouse, preached and confirmed twelve. At this point the church building has been greatly improved within a few months, and the rector, Rev. Martin Johnson, is to be congratulated upon the evidences of spiritual life awakened in this hitherto discouraging field.

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June 1st, I preached at Columbia, and confirmed five.

June 2d, at Brems, preached and confirmed seven.

June 3d, at Christ Church, Albemarle (in the morning) preached and confirmed five, and at night of the same day, at Scottsville, preached and confirmed one.

June 9th, at Orange Courthouse, at night, preached, and on the next morning, in the same church, preached and confirmed eight; in the afternoon of the same day confirmed in private one.

June 11th, at Madison Courthouse, I preached, and immediately after service confirmed in private one.

June 12th, at Rapidan, preached and confirmed eleven.

June 13th, at 11 A. M., after sermon by the Rev. C. J. S. Mayo, I consecrated Slaughter Chapel, there being present, of the clergy, Revs. Murray, Watters, G. W. Nelson and Hansbrough, the three first taking part in the service; in the afternoon of the same day and in the same place, preached and confirmed two. This is an attractive and convenient chapel, erected by the efforts of the children and friends of the late Philip Slaughter, D. D.

June 14th, at Calvary Church, Culpeper, I preached and confirmed none.

June 15th, at St. Paul's, Culpeper, preached and confirmed eight. The church building had just been thoroughly repaired, and together with its large congregation of earnest worshippers, gave evident signs of spiritual life.

June 16th, at Christ Church, in the same Parish, I preached and confirmed nine.

June 17th, at Culpeper C. H., preached in the morning and confirmed eight. In the afternoon of the same day, preached at "Little Fork" and confirmed one.

June 19th, I attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Bishop Payne Divinity School at Petersburg.

June 25th, at St. George's Chapel, Spotsylvania, preached and confirmed two.

June 27th, I attended a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary of Virginia.

June 28th, in the chapel for colored persons at the Seminary, after sermon by Bishop Peterkin, I confirmed four.

June 29th, in the Seminary Chapel, at the request of the Bishop

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of the Diocese, preached the ordination sermon, and advanced to the Priesthood Revs. F. G. Ribble, Thomas D. Lewis, Charles E. Lee and Thomas P. Baker. Rev. F. G. Ribble was ordained for the Diocese of Southern Virginia, by request of Bishop Randolph. Revs. Carl Grammer and E. L. Goodwin united in the imposition of hands.

June 30th, at "Fall's Church," Fairfax, I preached and confirmed ten. This old church had been recently repaired and improved, and a large addition made to the rector's support, gives rather unusual evidence of material prosperity and spiritual growth. On the same day, at night, I confirmed, in private, one person at Herndon.

July 1st, at Herndon, in the morning, preached and confirmed two; in the afternoon, preached at Chantilly and confirmed seven.

July 2d, at Fairfax C. H., preached and confirmed seven.

July 3d, at Chapel of Good Shepherd, preached and confirmed five.

July 4th, at Manassas, preached and confirmed nine. Here there is every indication of future growth and development.

July 5th, at Hay Market, preached to a densely packed congregation and confirmed thirty-one. At this point there has been developed a most remarkable work, and within the year the number of communicants, as you will find further on in this report, has been doubled.

July 6th, at Grace Chapel, Prince William, I preached and confirmed four, two of them for Hay Market.

July 7th, at Church of our Saviour, Fauquier, preached and confirmed three.

July 8th, at "The Plains," in the morning, preached and confirmed three, and in the afternoon of the same day, preached at Whittle Chapel and confirmed none.

July 9th, at Marshall, preached and confirmed five.

July 10th, at Leed's Church, preached and confirmed five.

July 12th, I performed the marriage ceremony for a member of Monumental Church, still without a rector.

July 15th, read service and preached in chapel at Virginia Beach.

July 20th, at earnest request of Rev. A. S. Lloyd, of St. Luke's, Norfolk, I baptized an infant.

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July 24th, attended a meeting of the "Trustees of the Funds of the Diocese," in Richmond.

July 24th, read the funeral service at Monumental Church, Richmond.

July 29th, at Christ Church, Mathews, preached in the morning and confirmed one, and in the afternoon of the same day preached at Trinity, Mathews, and confirmed none.

July 30th, at Ware Church, Gloucester, preached and confirmed thirteen.

July 31st, at 11 A. M., I consecrated Holy Innocents' Chapel, Gloucester, Rev. B. D. Tucker, of Norfolk, preaching the sermon, and Revs. J. Grammer, D. D., and W. B. Lee, the rector of the parish, taking part in the service. In the afternoon of the same day, in this chapel, preached and confirmed three. This is a neat and conveniently arranged chapel, judiciously located, and meets a real want in a well settled community.

August 1st, at Abingdon Church, Gloucester, preached and confirmed seventeen.

August 11th, preached at St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline, and confirmed one.

August 12th, read service and preached at the Monumental Church, Richmond, the Rev. E. L. Goodwin, temporarily in charge, having been called away by family affliction.

August 24th, in the morning, preached at Pohick Church, Fairfax, and confirmed eleven, and in the afternoon of the same day preached at Olivet and confirmed four.

The history of old Pohick Church for the past thirteen years, its resuscitation and progress, speaks with no uncertain sound in favor of a long and faithful pastorate. When Rev. S. A. Wallis entered upon the work as a deacon it was one of the least promising fields in the Diocese. He left it, when elected Professor of the Theological Seminary, with the church building in good condition, a comfortable rectory, and the number of communicants increased tenfold. The Sunday-school of nearly one hundred scholars, interested and well taught, presented a most cheering outlook for the future.

September 3d, at Dumfries, Prince William, I preached and confirmed none.

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September 4th, at Hay Market (second visit), preached and confirmed fourteen.

September 5th, at St. Stephen's Church, Fauquier, preached and confirmed none.

September 6th, at Remington, Fauquier, preached and confirmed none.

September 7th, at "Casanova," preached and confirmed five.

September 9th, at Warrenton, in the morning, preached and confirmed twelve; in the afternoon of the same day, preached at Baldwin's Ridge Chapel and confirmed five.

September 9th, at Buck Mountain, Albemarle, preached and confirmed one.

September 11th, at Grace Church, Albemarle, preached and confirmed eight.

September 12th, at St. John's, Louisa, preached and confirmed none.

September 16th, read service and preached at St. Andrew's Church, Richmond, in the absence of the rector.

September 23d, at Hamilton, Loudoun county, preached in the morning and confirmed ten. In the evening of the same day preached at Round Hill and confirmed one.

September 24th, at Goresville, preached and confirmed none.

September 25th, at Leesburg, preached and confirmed nine. It is earnestly hoped that the good people here will soon carry on to completion the new and much needed church building now under construction.

September 26th, at "Church of our Saviour," preached and confirmed nineteen.

September 27th, at Aldie, preached and confirmed 7.

September 28th, at Middleburg, preached and confirmed none.

September 30th, at Upperville, in the morning, preached and confirmed four; and in the afternoon, at Emmanuel, Fauquier, preached and confirmed one.

October 6th, at "Mapsico," Charles City county, preached and confirmed two.

October 7th, at Westover, in the morning, preached and confirmed seven; and in the afternoon of the same day, preached at Grace and confirmed two.

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October 12th, at Sperryville, Rappahannock, preached at night in the Methodist Church.

October 13th, at Woodville, preached and confirmed three.

October 14th, at Washington, Rappahannock, preached and confirmed five.

October 15th, confirmed one person in private near Culpeper Courthouse.

October 17th, attended a called meeting of the House of Bishops in New York.

October 25th, I took part in the funeral of Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D., at the Theological Seminary. Our intimacy commenced as boys at the Episcopal High School, and I knew him well. A truer man, a purer character, or a more useful clergyman, I have never known.

October 31st, at White Chapel, Lancaster, preached and confirmed six.

November 1st, at Trinity, preached and confirmed four.

November 2d, in the morning, preached at Grace and confirmed seven, and in the afternoon, at Wicomico, Northumberland, preached and confirmed seven.

November 3d, at Emmanuel, Richmond county, I administered the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed eight.

November 4th, in the morning, at St. John's, Warsaw, I administered the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed four, and in the afternoon, at St. Paul's Chapel, Westmoreland, preached and confirmed six.

November 5th, at Yeocomico, I administered the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed eight.

November 6th, at Cople Chapel, preached and confirmed none.

November 7th, at Nomini, I administered the Holy Communion, preached and confirmed one.

November 8th, at Montross, preached and confirmed one.

November 9th, in the morning, preached at Oak Grove, and confirmed four; in the afternoon, preached at Payne's Chapel, and confirmed none.

November 10th, at St. Paul's, King George, preached and confirmed five.

November 11th, at King George Courthouse, in the morning,

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preached and confirmed six, and in the evening, at Port Conway, preached and confirmed none.

November 14th, attended a called meeting of the Trustees of the Funds of the Diocese, in Richmond.

November 21st, at Grace Church, Caroline, preached and confirmed two.

November 22d, at Port Royal, preached and confirmed four.

November 23d, at Vawters, Essex, preached and confirmed none.

November 24th, at St. Matthew's, preached and confirmed one.

November 25th, at St. John's, Tappahannock, in the morning, preached and confirmed four, and at night preached in the same church.

November 26th, at St. Paul's, Essex, preached and confirmed one.

November 27th, at St. David's, King William, preached and confirmed seven.

November 28th, at Immanuel, King & Queen, preached and confirmed none.

November 29th, at St. Luke's, Essex, preached and confirmed three.

November 30th, at Christ Church, Middlesex, preached and confirmed eight. After service, at the request of the rector, I visited a communicant of the parish, over ninety years of age, and had a brief service in her sick room.

December 2d, at Holy Trinity, Richmond, in the morning, I preached, and at night, in the same church, attended a meeting of the Richmond Protestant Episcopal Missionary Society.

December 5th, in Richmond, assisted the rector of St. James in a marriage service.

December 9th, at Hay Market, in the morning, I preached and confirmed twenty-nine. This was the third visit since May to this church, and since then the Bishop of the Diocese has made a fourth. I need not say more of this remarkable work in a country Parish. We earnestly pray that it may stand the test of the great day, when "all hearts" shall be "open," "and all secrets known." At the same church I preached again at night. In both services we were assisted by Rev. G. W. Nelson, who had a few weeks before given the congregation a ten days' mission.

December 10th, at Leesburg, preached and confirmed twenty-

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four, the stormy night having prevented some, who had hoped to be among those confirmed, from attendance. This was my second visit to this church within the year.

December 11th, preached at Langley, and confirmed fifteen.

December 12th, preached at Baily's X Roads and confirmed ten. These two points are chapels served by the students of our seminary most earnestly and efficiently. At both places the persons confirmed were presented by Prof. Wallis.

December 25th, at the request of the rector, I preached at St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

January 13th, 1895, I preached at the Monumental Church, Richmond, by invitation of the rector.

January 14th, attended annual meeting of the corporators of "the Church Home."

January 20th, preached morning and night at St. Luke's Church, Norfolk.

January 30th, officiated for Rev. J. K. Mason at his Wednesday night service, he having been called away from the city to attend a funeral.

February 14th, P. M., preached for Brotherhood of St. Andrew, at Trinity, Portsmouth.

February 17th, A. M., preached at St. George's, Fredericksburg, where there had been a most gracious revival, and confirmed fifty-two; at night, by request of the rector, preached in Trinity; Fredericksburg.

March 3rd, A. M., preached at Ashland, and at night preached again and confirmed five.

March 10th, A. M., preached at Emmanuel, Albemarle, and confirmed one; in the afternoon preached at St. Paul's, Ivy Depot, and confirmed four.

March 11th, at St. John the Baptist, Albemarle, preached and confirmed nine.

March 17th, preached at St. Paul's, Richmond, and assisted in the Holy Communion.

March 18th, attended meeting of Woman's Auxiliary at St. John's, Richmond.

March 19th, preached for the rector of St. Andrew's, Richmond.

March 24th, A. M., at St. George's, Fredericksburg, preached and

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confirmed seven; and in the evening of the same day, at Trinity, Fredericksburg, preached and confirmed eleven.

March 25th, at Spotsylvania Courthouse, preached and confirmed one.

March 26th, P. M., at Clifton, Stafford, preached and confirmed two.

March 27th, at Aquia, Stafford, preached and confirmed four.

March 31st, visited church in Manchester for Bishop of Southern Virginia, and confirmed a class, one of whom belongs to this Diocese.

April 2nd, at Grace Church, Linwood, preached and confirmed eight.

April 3rd, at Calvary, Shenandoah, preached and confirmed eleven.

April 4th, at Luray, preached and confirmed one.

April 5th, at Front Royal, preached and confirmed six.

April 6th, at White Post, read the service, preached and confirmed one.

April 7th, A. M., at Millwood, preached and confirmed ten; in the afternoon, in the same church, confirmed seven colored persons; and at night, in chapel at Boyce, preached and confirmed two. This parish is now without a rector, Rev. J. P. Tyler having accepted work in Ohio.

April 8th, at Berryville, preached and confirmed fourteen.

April 9th, at Wickliffe, preached and confirmed none.

April 10th, at Winchester, preached and confirmed twenty, two being colored.

April 11th, at Middletown, read service and preached, confirmed none.

April 12th, at Woodstock, preached and confirmed six.

April 13th, at Mount Jackson, preached and confirmed fourteen.

April 14th, at Harrisonburg, in the morning preached and confirmed one, and at night preached in the same church.

April 21st, read service and preached at All Saints, Richmond, the rector being out of the city.

April 28th, at Goochland C. H., in the morning, I preached and confirmed one, and in the afternoon, visited the church at Pineville for Bishop Randolph.

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April 29th, attended, in Staunton, meetings of the Joint Committee of the Dioceses of Virginia and Southern Virginia, on the Virginia Female Institute. I have also attended the meetings of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, whenever in Richmond, at the hour of meeting.

SUMMARY.

Visitations.....	132
Confirmations (of which thirteen were colored persons).....	752
Ordained Priests.....	4
Churches consecrated.....	2
Other services.....	23

And this closes the statement in figures of my work to May 1st, 1895. What that work has been in the sight of God can only be known when we all stand before the judgment seat to give account of the deeds done in the body. We rejoice to know that the Judge, on that day, shall be the same merciful Saviour who loved us and gave Himself for us!

And now, brethren, turning from the past, let us look to the future with lowly faith and holy hope. We have before us a great work for the Master. There is yet much land to be possessed. We live in stirring times, in an age and amid circumstances which demand all our zeal and energy, our patience and perseverance. There was never a time when the cause of Christ and His Church called more loudly for the loyal devotion and constancy of Christian men. There was never a time of more blessed opportunity. "The field is white unto the harvest." Faithfulness now to Christ and His truth will surely bring a glorious reward.

Although the world is full of evil, and many, "blindly wise," seek to turn men from "the old paths;" although medievalism on the one hand, or rationalism on the other, may threaten the destruction of the Church of our fathers, let us, in the Church in Virginia, cling with unshaken confidence to "the faith once delivered to the saints." The old gospel has been in the past the only cure for sin and all evils; it must be so in the future. It is the gospel of the ever-living Christ, whose promise has been given to be with his people forever. It cannot fail. Let us preach the word; be instant in

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season and out of season; feed the sheep; gather in the lambs of the flock.

Let it never be said of us, "The hungry sheep look up and are not fed," "The people perish for lack of knowledge."

The Council then took a recess.

Divine service was conducted by Bishop Newton.

Pursuant to a resolution of the last Council, that "a suitable historical address" be delivered at the one hundredth annual Council, the Rt. Rev. A. M. Randolph, D. D., Bishop of Southern Virginia, made a most admirable address, which is printed in the Appendix.

The Council re-assembled, and was called to order by the Assistant Bishop.

The Rev. G. W. Nelson moved to suspend the regular order for two minutes, and the motion having been passed, offered the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That, by a rising vote, the thanks of this Council be tendered to Bishop Randolph for his address.

Resolved, That 3,000 copies of Bishop Randolph's address be printed in the Protestant Episcopal Review.

ELECTION OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The election of Standing Committee being next in order, Rev. S. A. Wallis moved that Mr. John R. Zimmerman's name be substituted for the name of the late Mr. Charles S. Taylor.

Carried.

The President appointed the Rev. J. D. LaMothe and Rev. C. E. Ball as tellers, who reported the following as elected members of the Standing Committee of the Diocese for the ensuing year:

Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D.,	Mr. L. M. Blackford,
" Henderson Suter, D. D.,	Col. Arthur Herbert,
" P. P. Phillips,	Mr. John R. Zimmerman.

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Rev. Dr. Suter read the following report of Standing Committee of the Diocese:

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese of Virginia beg leave to report that since the last annual Council (1894) the following persons have been recommended as candidates for Holy Orders—viz:

W. H. K. Pendleton,	Joseph A. Specht,
Wm. H. Laird, Jr.,	Hugh Martin,
Wm. Henry Osmond,	Robert B. Nelson,
	Walter B. Stehl.

The following for Deacon's Orders—viz:

John S. Douglas,	Austin B. Chinn,
John D. LaMothe,	James F. Aitkens,
Zebulon S. Farland,	E. W. Cowling,
A. J. Grinnan,	George Otis Mead,
	Edward A. Temple.

The following for Priest's Orders—viz:

Rev. Frank Steed,	Rev. Thomas D. Lewis,
“ Thomas P. Baker,	“ Arthur C. Thomson,
“ Charles Henry Lee, Jr.,	“ Zebulon S. Farland.

Consent was given for the consecration of the Rev. John Hazen White, Bishop-elect of the Diocese of Indiana.

Since the last Council there was a vacancy in the Standing Committee, occasioned by the lamented death of Mr. Chas. S. Taylor, who had been a faithful member for over twenty-nine years. This was filled by the election of Mr. John R. Zimmerman.

Respectfully submitted,

P. P. PHILLIPS, *Secretary*.

J. PACKARD, *President*.

Major Jno. W. Green offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council meet next year in St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

Major John Page moved that Bishop Randolph's address be printed

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The Rev. H. B. Lee read an offer from Mr. Holsinger, Photographer, offering to take a picture of the Council, and asking when it would be convenient to do so; and a motion was offered by Rev. G. W. Nelson, which was passed, declining his offer with thanks.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAY REPRESENTATION.

Rev. R. A. Goodwin read the following report:

The committee appointed at the last Council, to whom was referred the question of lay representation in the Diocesan Councils, beg leave to report that in the judgment of the Committee it is not advisable to make any change in our law as to lay representation.

R. A. GOODWIN.

Rev. H. B. Lee nominated the following persons as members of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, who were duly elected:

	Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle,
	Rt. Rev. John B. Newton,
Rev. Jno. K. Mason,	Mr. John L. Williams,
" L. R. Mason,	" Wm. F. Gray,
" R. A. Goodwin,	" Joseph Bryan,
" Pike Powers, D. D.,	" Thomas Potts,
" H. Carmichael, D. D.,	" Jno. R. Wheat,
" Wm. M. Clark,	" B. R. Wellford,
" B. M. Randolph,	" F. D. Beveridge,
	Mr. G. G. Minor.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

The Committee on Credentials presented the following report:

That the roll-call, as read by the Secretary yesterday, is correct, with the following names to be added:

Mr. W. H. K. Pendleton,	Mr. R. H. Lawrence,
" H. B. Ramey,	" P. W. Nelson,
" J. M. Taylor.	

BERRYMAN GREEN, *Chairman*.

Rev. Dr. J. K. Mason read the report of the Committee appointed

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to adjust the claims of the Diocese of Virginia in the Virginia Female Institute.

Bishop Whittle moved that the Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., Maj. L. T. Scott and Mr. Joseph Bryan be appointed a committee, to whom this report shall be referred, and who shall represent this Council before the Council of Southern Virginia and the Legislature of Virginia, with power.

Carried.

On motion of Rev. J. K. Mason, D. D., the Secretary was ordered to print 1,000 copies of the Journal.

The Rev. G. W. Nelson, of the committee appointed to consider the proposed alteration in the Constitution of the General Church, presented the following report:

GENERAL CONVENTION OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Right Reverend Sir :

In compliance with the requirements of Title III, Canon 1, Section iii, of the Digest, I would hereby give particular notice that the following alteration of the Constitution of the Church is proposed: said alteration having been adopted by the House of Bishops and the House of Deputies of the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, held in the city of Baltimore, Maryland, in October, A. D. 1892, to-wit:

That to the 5th Article of the Constitution be added a clause in these words:

The General Convention may accept a cession of a part of the Territorial jurisdiction of a Diocese, when the bishop and convention of such Diocese shall propose such cession, and three-fourths of the parishes in the ceded territory, and also the same proportion of the parishes within the remaining territory, shall consent thereto.

In testimony whereof, I have this day hereunto affixed my name.

CHAS. L. HUTCHINS,

Secretary of the House of Deputies.

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Committee recommend that no action be taken upon the above notice, because none is necessary.

GEO. W. NELSON,
CARL E. GRAMMER,
R. T. SCOTT.

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Mr. Thomas Potts offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Bishop of the Diocese be requested to convey the thanks of the Council to the children for their liberal contribution, through the mite-boxes, for the aid of our Diocesan Missionary Society.

The following members were excused from further attendance on the meetings of the Council, Revs. J. Y. Downman, S. S. Hepburn, C. E. Ball and Mr. W. R. Ward.

On motion of Mr. Joseph Bryan the Council adjourned to 4 P. M.

THURSDAY, 4 P. M.

Council re-assembled with Bishop Newton in the chair.

The Secretary then read the report of the Committee on the Episcopal Fund, viz:

The Committee on the Episcopal Fund have to report that the treasurer's accounts have been audited and approved by the trustees of the funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, and their report has been presented to the Council.

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Signed, J. Y. DOWNMAN,
FRANK L. HARRIS.

Rev. Dr. Suter read the report of the Trustees of the Theological Seminary and High School.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND HIGH SCHOOL.

The Trustees of the Theological Seminary and High School beg leave to report as follows:

The number of students at the Seminary during the session has been—

Senior Class	15
Middle Class.....	11
Junior Class.....	12
Total	38

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nce the last report the Seminary has been somewhat hindered in its work
ugh the illness of one of its Professors, and the death of another, the
. K. Nelson, D. D.

nder the authority of the Board the Executive Committee secured the
porary services of the Rev. William M. Clark, of Fredericksburg, and
the assistance of the Rev. Samuel A. Wallis, who was filling the chair
rofessor Crawford, absent on leave. Professor Packard resumed a part
is former work, and Dr. Walker also willingly added to his own labors to
t the necessary lack of service.

he vacancy occasioned by the death of Dr. Nelson has been filled by the
tion of the Rev. Samuel A. Wallis. The Board also mentions that the
r. John S. Wallace, an alumnus of the Seminary, has sought to increase
efficiency of the graduates by donating the sum of \$2,000, the annual
rest of which is to be paid to the best extemporaneous preacher of each
ior Class.

n addition to this mark of interest in the Institution, the Board reports
a great pleasure, the provision for the establishment of an annual course
ectures by Mr. George A. Reinicker, of Baltimore.

n connection with these matters of a financial nature, the Board would
o impress upon the clergy the need of an increase to the Endowment
d, and respectfully remind of the yearly collection for this fund, recom-
nded by the Council's own action.

he reports of the Professors are appended, and also that of the Principal
he High School.

H. SUTER, *for the Trustees.*

PORT OF THE ACTING PROFESSOR OF HEBREW AND APOLOGETICS.

*the Board of Trustees
of the Theological Seminary of Virginia :*

he Senior Class has read portions of the Prophetic Books in Hebrew
h introductions to all the Prophets, taking up especially those questions
aining to the Higher Criticism. The Junior Class has studied carefully
principles of the Hebrew language as developed in Professor Harper's
t-books, and have read selected portions of the Pentateuch and historical
oks, with exegetical and general notes illustrating the period of which
se books treat.

The Junior Class has also studied in Apologetics, Row's Christian Theism,
ley, so far as external evidences are concerned. Row's Manual of Evi-
nces supplemented by lectures. Dr. Packard has taught the Middle Class
Hebrew.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL A. WALLIS.

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REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF GREEK.

*To the Board of Trustees
of the Theological Seminary of Virginia:*

At my appointment to this Professorship I found that the Senior Class had finished the Ephesians in Greek, with the late Dr. Nelson. In following out the course, they have read with me Philippians, Colossians, the Catholic Epistles and the Apocalypse, and have written exegetical essays upon the Gospel of St. Luke.

The Middle Class has read I and II Corinthians, Romans and Galatians, and are now reading Hebrews.

The Junior Class has read the Gospel of St. John and the greater portion of St. Matthew, with reference to the synoptics. They will also read I and II Thessalonians. Exegetical essays have been written in both the Junior and Middle Classes regularly.

The commentaries used are the Cambridge Greek Testament for Schools, Ellicott's Greek Commentaries and Vaughan on Romans.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL A. WALLIS—

[For balance of the Professor's reports see Appendix, as they were not handed to the Secretary in time to be printed here.]

Rev. J. J. Norwood read the report of the Committee on Diocesan Missionary Society:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The committee appointed to audit the accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society, beg leave to report that they have examined the same and find them all correct, all disbursements being sustained by proper vouchers, except three, and a satisfactory statement made in regard to those three.

J. J. NORWOOD,
C. C. BAUGHMAN,
W. W. BRANDER.

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Rev. H. B. Lee moved that the order of business be suspended for five minutes.

Carried.

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The following resolution, offered by the Rev. E. V. Jones, was opted:

Resolved, That we reconsider the resolution ordering that 3,000 copies of Bishop Randolph's address be printed in the Protestant Episcopal Review.

The time for this debate, by resolution, was extended five minutes.

On motion of Rev. E. V. Jones—

Resolved, That in place of publishing 3,000 copies of the above-mentioned address in the Protestant Episcopal Review, that 1,500 copies be printed in pamphlet form and sent out by the Secretary along with the Journals.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved to amend the original motion, as follows:

Resolved, That 1,000 copies of the Protestant Episcopal Review (containing this address) be printed and paid for by the Treasurer of the Diocese.

This resolution was amended by Rev. C. E. Grammer's motion, which was carried. That the Secretary of the Council distribute the said copies.

The Rev. Dr. Carmichael moved that this whole matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

Lost.

The Rev. C. E. Grammer offered the following, which was opted:

Resolved, That 1,000 copies of the Protestant Episcopal Review, containing Bishop Randolph's address, be printed and paid for by the Treasurer of the Council, and distributed by the Secretary.

ELECTION OF DEPUTIES TO GENERAL CONVENTION.

The election of Deputies to General Convention being in order, the Chair appointed the following tellers:

For the Clerical Vote.—Revs. J. R. Ellis and A. C. Thomson.

For the Lay Vote.—Mr. J. M. Taylor and Captain David Meade.

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The following clergymen were put in nomination:

Rev. C. E. Grammer,	Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D.
“ G. W. Nelson,	“ S. A. Wallis,
“ W. M. Clark,	“ L. R. Mason,
“ J. K. Mason, D. D.,	“ James Grammer, D. D.,
“ H. B. Lee,	“ R. A. Goodwin.

The following Laymen were nominated:

Major R. Taylor Scott,	Mr. J. M. Garnett,
Mr. John G. Williams,	“ Joseph Wilmer,
“ L. M. Blackford,	“ H. O. Clagett,
“ W. H. Palmer,	“ Joseph Bryan,
Mr. Thomas Potts.	

Pending the count of ballots, the Rev. S. S. Ware made the following report from the Committee on the Widows and Orphans' Fund:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Committee upon the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Virginia respectfully submit that they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and found them correct and sustained by proper vouchers. They would call the attention of the Council to the fact that, of the 160 churches and chapels in this Diocese, only fifty have contributed to this fund, and urge upon the ministers the importance of presenting this worthy object to the attention of their congregations and of securing larger contributions to its funds.

S. S. WARE,
H. O. CLAGETT.

The Rev. John S. Hansbrough read the report from the Committee on the Bruce Fund:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BRUCE FUND.

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To the Protestant Episcopal Council:

Your committee appointed to examine the report of the Treasurer of

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Bruce Fund, beg respectfully to report that it has examined the same, and found that all expenditures are sustained by proper vouchers.

JNO. S. HANSBROUGH,
WM. ELLIS JONES.

The tellers reported that the following clergymen had been elected deputies to the General Convention:

C. E. Grammer,	Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D.,
J. K. Mason, D. D.,	“ G. W. Nelson.

The four clergymen above-named were declared elected Clerical deputies.

The tellers of the vote for Lay Deputies to the General Convention reported that the following Laymen had been elected:

Joseph Bryan,	Mr. L. M. Blackford,
or R. Taylor Scott,	“ J. M. Garnett.

The four above-named gentlemen were declared elected Lay Deputies to the General Convention.

Mr. R. H. Lawrence was excused from further attendance.

The tellers reported the following as elected alternate Lay Deputies to the General Convention:

Mr. Joseph Wilmer,	Mr. W. H. Palmer,
Mr. John G. Williams,	Mr. Thomas Potts.

On motion, the Council adjourned to meet at 8 P. M.

THURSDAY, 8 P. M.

The Council assembled for the service in the interest of Foreign Missions at the appointed hour.

The service was read by Rev. Pike Powers, D. D.

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The sermon was preached by Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D. An offering was then taken for Foreign Missions.

Council adjourned to meet Friday, at 9:30 A. M.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.,

FRIDAY, MAY 17TH, 1895.

The Council met at 9:30 A. M. After prayer by the Assistant Bishop, the Council was called to order by the Bishop.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

Bishop Newton announced the death of the Rev. J. T. L. Hynes, and moved that Revs. N. P. Dame and O. M. Yerger be appointed a committee to report a suitable minute in regard to the same.

Carried.

The following resolution, offered by the Rev. S. A. Wallis, was adopted:

Resolved, That the Rev. J. Thompson Cole, Secretary of the American Church Missionary Society, be invited to address the Council after Divine service this morning.

The tellers reported that Rev. W. M. Clark and L. R. Mason were elected alternate Clerical Deputies to the General Convention.

Rev. N. P. Dame moved to postpone the election of the other two alternate Clerical Deputies indefinitely.

Lost.

The following members were excused from further attendance on the meetings of the Council:

Revs. J. Y. Downman, F. S. Stickney, Carter Page and G. C. Abbitt and Mr. J. M. Taylor.

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Rev. Mr. Lee offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That so much of the Bishop's address of 1894 as referred to "The Prayer Book Distribution Society," be referred to a committee of two clergymen and one laymen, to report to the next Council.

The Chair appointed Revs. H. B. Lee and E. V. Jones and Mr. J. M. Garnett as such committee.

Rev. T. D. Lewis read the report of Committee on Disabled Clergy Fund:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

The Committee on the Disabled Clergy Fund beg leave to report that the Treasurer's report has been examined by us and that the disbursements were verified by proper vouchers.

The amount received from the churches as reported to the Council

May, 1894, was.....	\$1,424 00
The amount received to May, 1895, for the year is.....	1,087 50
Showing a falling off in receipts from the churches of.....	\$336 50

The amounts distributed to the four disabled clergymen receiving

aid from the fund during the year was.....	\$1,220 00
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During the year there was received from the invested funds.....	\$690 09
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Less paid Virginia Trust Company.....	25 00
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Net.....	\$665 09
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From interest on the cash on hand in City Bank.....	64 12
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Total	\$729 21
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Of the cash on hand there was invested \$1,773.75 in \$3,000 of Virginia Century Bonds.

The cash balance on hand on deposit in City Bank is.	\$1,020 41
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THOS. D. LEWIS,
H. S. DOGGETT,
Committee.

The Rev. N. P. Dame, of the Special Committee appointed at the last Council on Church Finances, read his report:

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REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON CHURCH FINANCE.

The special committee appointed by the Council in Richmond last May "*to consider the whole subject of Church Finance in the Diocese both as to principles and as to methods, and make such suggestions as may seem to promise improvement in this department of our Church's work,*" beg leave to report—

The money question, in all its phases, is one that deeply concerns the Church of Christ; and it is of vital importance that the Church should consider it attentively on all sides in the light of our Lord's teaching.

The raising of money has become a recognized department of Church work in every parish and mission station in every Diocese in the land. There are constant and increasing demands for money for all kinds of work everywhere in the Church; and there is constant and apparently increasing difficulty in raising the great and growing sums necessary for the Lord's work, as it is now carried on. So money-raising has come to occupy a large measure of attention, demands much effort and is often a great burden to both minister and people.

This prominence into which the money question has been thrust in the Church has been productive of many evil results.

(1) Driven by the apparent necessity of getting money for her work, the Church has been compelled to sacrifice her dignity, by becoming a common beggar at the door of the rich, stooping even to beg the little children for their pennies, and to countenance all sorts of devices for raising money, some of them of questionable morality, some of unquestioned immorality, and most of them utterly unchristian in their spirit and tendency, and in the motives to which they appeal.

(2) She has laid herself open to the charge—however false it may be—of being mercenary; of seeking not you but yours; of urging the practice of Christian generosity, not that she cares for you, but because she wants your money; of being as eager as the world in the pursuit of the dollar; of courting the rich and neglecting the poor; of being dominated by the money-power; of electing men to her vestries because they have money, and even of having, in some cases, elevated men to the very Episcopate itself because they, or their wives, were rich, and so could better support the dignity of their high office.

And (3) by the manifest importance which she attaches to money, by her pursuit of the rich, by her laudation of those who, out of their abundance, make her large gifts of money, by her consideration for the tastes and convenience of the rich, as shown in the location and furnishing of her church buildings, in her hours of service, in her financial systems, and in nearly all her methods of work and of worship, together with her constant and urgent appeals for money, of which, of course, the poor have but little, she has

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argely alienated the poorer section of the people from her, and given the Church of Jesus Christ the appearance of being the rich man's institution.

Your committee are persuaded that all the financial troubles of the Church spring from one or the other or both of these two sources:

(1) *The undue value that she attaches to money as a means of doing her Lord's work in the world; and*

(2) *The radically defective system of finance which she employs.*

She demands more money than she really needs, and she employs the worst possible method of getting it. If this diagnosis be correct, then the manifest remedy for her troubles in this respect is:

(1) To reduce her expenditures, and

(2) To employ the best method of getting money for her work.

I. There is a Christian *attitude* towards money, but the Church does not occupy it.

That the Church at large, as well as in our own Diocese, has drifted into an attitude towards riches and rich men, radically different from that occupied by our Lord and His disciples, is patent to all who care to see.

Jesus came into this world in poverty. He lived and labored and died in poverty. This poverty He voluntarily assumed and endured as a necessary means to the end He had in view. "He who was rich for our sakes became poor, that we, through His poverty, might become rich."

We should remember that He came into the world perfectly fitted in all respects for His work of saving men. If wealth could have helped Him in his work, "consecrated" wealth, wealth in His hands who knew best how to use it, He would have been born the heir of all Solomon's wealth. But because it could not help Him to save men, but would have been a positive hindrance to Him in this work, therefore He was born, lived, labored and died in poverty, having not where to lay His head, and lying at last in another man's grave.

Observe again, that when He called to Him, those men who were to follow Him in the work of His ministry, He required them to forsake their occupation and possessions, and to share His poverty with Him. And when He sent them out on their first missionary journey, He sent them with neither gold nor silver nor brass in their purses.

You will recall, too, how consistently he spoke of riches and of the rich, with a sort of pity, if not with positive disapprobation. "Woe unto you that are rich." "It is hard for a rich man to enter into the Kingdom of Heaven." "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter into the Kingdom of God," &c. On the other hand, He commends poverty, or, at least, voluntary poverty, not only by His great example, but also by His words. "Blessed are ye poor," &c. "Hath not God chosen the poor of this world rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom?"

To unbiassed judges these words and example of Jesus declare in unmistakable terms:

(1) That riches are, if not a curse, at least a misfortune or a hindrance to the man or the church that seeks to do the work that Jesus did; and

(2) That there is a power in voluntary poverty which renders it essential to, at least, the highest success in the work that Jesus left His Church to do.

There is some inherent antagonism between material wealth and spiritual power; and there is immense power in voluntary poverty for the accomplishment of spiritual results.

If this be true, then the church which would be able to say with St. Peter to the crippled sons of men: "In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk," must first of all be able to say with him: "Silver and gold have I none."

As a matter of simple history the Church's spiritual power has always been in inverse ratio to her material wealth and worldly greatness.

Your committee offer here the following suggestions:

(1) That the proper authority, the Bishops or Council, be requested to impress on our churches, both clergy and people, the fact that one of the essential conditions of the highest spiritual success in the Lord's work, and the only one which, as a Church, we have almost entirely neglected or ignored, is voluntary poverty for Jesus' sake, with its attendant freedom from slavish dependence on money and the money power.

(2) That the churches be urged to seek that condition of spiritual power with all due diligence.

(a) By practicing, as churches, the strictest possible economy in their expenses, and

(b) By avoiding, as far as possible, those methods of work which involve the expenditure of money, and

(3) That the building of churches, chapels, rectories and parish houses in our Diocese, together with all matters touching their erection, such as the need for the building, the location, plan, cost, furnishing, &c., be put, in some degree at least, under the control of the Bishop, or of a standing committee, and that he or it be requested to allow no such building to be erected in the Diocese until it can be done by the congregation desiring it, without begging a dollar from outside, and without diminishing its fair contributions to the general work of the Church.

II. As there is a Christian attitude towards money, so there is, your committee are persuaded, a Christian *method* of Church finance, a Christian way of raising, managing and disbursing the Lord's money.

Let us take a rapid glance at the actual condition of things in our Diocese at present. It shows that our Church finances are, as the *Southern Churchman* eloquently described it not long since, "in a muddle."

(1) In the parishes there is nothing visible that could be called a system. Money is raised for every conceivable purpose, by every conceivable method and by appeals to every conceivable motive.

Some of the *methods* of raising money in vogue among us are pew rents,

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the regular weekly offertory, special collections made through the offertory, extra collections such as the Sunday-school, week day and Lenten collections, mite-boxes, direct collections of money outside the offertory, dues from members of guilds and societies of many kinds, bazaars, sales, entertainments, concerts, lectures, teas, suppers, feasts, parties of many sorts, shows, and exhibitions, and last, but not least, *begging* long and loud, with the aid of every possible device.

Some of the *motives* appealed to are, by actual count, the hope of temporal reward, the hope of eternal rewards, pride in the support of one's Church, fear of public opinion, the desire to be thought generous, common honesty, pay for what you get, sense of duty, debt to God, debt to the Church, the authority of the Church, the spirit of emulation, the command of Christ, the love of Christ, &c., &c.

Of these methods it may be said generally that most of them are very unsatisfactory to those who employ them; they do not bring the money that is needed, but they do often bring the Church into contempt, and inculcate hopelessly unchristian, and sometimes immoral principles.

(2) Our Diocesan financial affairs are naturally in somewhat better shape. We have four or five societies or funds, each with its own treasurer, and (with the exception of the Bruce Fund) depending, for its income, upon the contributions of individuals or congregations in the Diocese. These funds are in every case, so far as your committee are informed, in the hands and under the management of men of approved integrity and of eminent business ability—men who have shown themselves wise and successful in the management of their own business.

But it should be remembered, as St. Paul has taught us, that there are two sorts of wisdom among men: the wisdom of this world, and God's wisdom: both of them true wisdom, but radically different, and each of them looking like foolishness to the other. These two kind of wisdom, when applied to the affairs of life give us two kinds of business, and two types of business men.

The object of the business man of this world, in reference to money, is to get it, to accumulate it, to keep it safe, to increase it, and so to invest it that it may yield good interest.

The object of Jesus, the ideal business man of the other type, in dealing with money, is to produce certain effects on the inner character of men, to make them Christ-like, loving, generous, humble, full of faith and dependence on God.

Now, if it is the object of our Diocese to raise money, accumulate great funds, keep them safe, and invest them securely and wisely, then she ought to call to her aid, and be guided by the counsel, of successful business men of this world. But if it is her object to help her people to become Christ-like in character, she can learn nothing whatever from the wise and prudent business men of this world. Her wisdom is to sit at the feet of Jesus and learn

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of Him the value of money in His work, how to raise it, and what to do with it.

For instance, it is regarded as the highest wisdom of one sort to accumulate invested funds and to support the Disabled Clergy, the Widows and Orphans of the Clergy and the Episcopate, on the interest of these funds, so as to relieve the churches of the necessity of contributing to these objects.

That this is deemed a wise course to pursue is evident from the fact that good business men who have charge of their financial affairs are trying to do the same thing in all the other Dioceses of the Church.

But your committee very seriously doubt whether this course accords with the wisdom that pervades the New Testament. If giving is a means of grace, regular, constant giving, if it is a peculiar privilege to consider and care for God's poor, then surely it is not wise to deprive us of the necessity of contributing to the support of our Widows and Orphans and Disabled Clergy. It is, at least, very certain that large numbers of the contributors of these objects wish every dollar given each year to go to them each year. And they regard every dollar of that money that is kept back from them and invested in stocks and bonds as money sadly misused and grievously diverted from the object for which it was given. It is also very certain that the great majority of our people would far rather have our Bishops supported on their yearly contributions of the people than on the interest of invested funds. They would help to keep them, what they are now, near and dear to the people and free from Episcopal arrogance and pride.

Your committee are persuaded that there is a far better system of church finance than any which we now possess. It is the system which has our Lord's sanction, if nothing more, and which may most properly be called the Christian system.

Despite the fact that our Lord and the early Church cared little or nothing for money, had little need for it, set small store by it as a power for good in the Lord's work, and made almost no effort to collect it, yet they had something to do with it, and as we should have expected, they dealt with it in a thoroughly systematic way.

There are in the Gospels five or six passages, and very many more in the Acts and Epistles, which cast light on our Lord's manner of dealing with money.

Given as briefly as possible, without their context, the passages from the Gospels are as follows:

(1) "Judas Iscariot saith, why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence and given to the poor. Now this he said, not because he cared for the poor; but because he was a thief and having the bag took away what was put therein." St. John xii: 4-6.

(2) "Now no man at the table knew for what intent He spake this unto him. For some thought because Judas had the bag, that Jesus said unto

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him Buy what things we have need of against the feast; or that he should give something to the poor." St. John xiii: 28, 29.

(3) There went "with Him the twelve and certain women which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary that was called Magdalene, and Joanna the wife of Chuza, Herod's Steward, and Susanna, and many others which ministered unto Him of their substance." St. Luke viii: 1-3.

(4) "For His disciples were gone away into the city to buy food." St. John iv: 8.

(5) "They say unto Him shall we go and buy two hundred pennyworth of bread and give them to eat?" St. Mark, vi: 37.

From these well known passages and their context we may fairly draw the following inferences:

(1) That Jesus and His little company of Disciples had a common purse, bag, box, fund, or treasury, of which Judas was the keeper.

(2) That this fund was supplied by the purely voluntary contributions of His friends, without any begging or asking on His part.

(3) That out of this fund they met the ordinary expenses of the little company when they had any, and made contributions to the poor; and

(4) That while Judas was the treasurer of this fund, it was really *Jesus* money, and was properly disbursed only by His order.

Your committee submit that we have here clear and distinct outlines of a simple and practical system of Church finance: (1) the one Lord's treasury; (2) the sources of supply; (3) the purposes for which it was used; and (4) the authority required for any expenditure of it.

This is the system which Jesus used while He was on earth. It appears clearly in the Acts and Epistles; and we have much reason to believe that it was employed in the early Church until she began to leave her first love. It should be sufficient for us, however, to know that it had the sanction of Jesus, if it was not originated by Him.

Let us try to conceive how this system would look in modern setting.

1. In the Parishes, we should have in every congregation one, and only one, treasury, the Lord's treasury we should call it, into which would go all the gifts of the Lord's people to Him.

We would not take up special collections for Missions, or for the poor, or for any other object, except in the rare case of some great and special distress, like that caused by the famine in Judea in the days of Claudius Cæsar, and which led to the only special collection of which we have any record in the New Testament. Still less would we resort to any other of the hundred and one modern devices for raising money for the Lord's work.

We would diligently teach His people, as the Master taught them, that if they are Christians they are stewards or trustees, holding all their possessions

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at His disposal. We would teach them that He wants them to give, and to keep on giving, to acquire the habit and to cultivate the spirit of giving, just as they are to pray; that He wants them to give according to their ability, to give all that they can give, regardless of the uses to which He will have His money put; that He wants them to give freely, systematically, cheerfully, proportionately, a definite percentage of their income, the larger the better, and surely not less than a tenth; and that He wants them, each one, to give thus on the first day of the week into the Lord's treasury ("in store").

Then we would give them an opportunity once a week, on Sunday, to cast their free will offerings into the treasury, just as we do now, by passing plates around among the people at the services. And then we would formally and reverently present the people's gifts to Jesus, just as we are now required to do by the rubric in the regular service of the church.

On some day in the week or month or quarter, the minister, wardens and vestry would meet to disburse the Lord's money as nearly according to His mind as we could come from the closest study of the New Testament. For instance: He paid the simple expenses of the little company of disciples out of this fund; we would, therefore, be justified in paying the simple expenses of the Church, most economically administered, out of His treasury. He paid their expenses when they were on their missionary tours; we may, therefore, spend some of His money on missions. He gave to the poor out of this fund; we may do the same, &c. In a word, not a penny of the Lord's money should be spent for any purpose for which we could not show a fair precedent out of the New Testament.

2. This system is capable of application to the Diocese and to general Church, as well as to the parish.

As every congregation would have a Lord's treasury, so would every Diocese; so would the general Church in the United States. From each congregation a certain proportion of the offerings would go to the Diocesan treasury, to be disbursed by the Bishop and his council for the various departments of work in the Diocese. And from each Diocese a certain proportion would go into the general Church's treasury of the Lord, to be used as indicated above, in that larger field, for expenses, for the poor, and for missions in all the world.

Under this system there would be few invested funds, and they would not be given into the hands of irresponsible close corporations, but would be held by the Diocese or Council itself, duly incorporated for that purpose.

Your committee would offer in this connection the following suggestions:

(1) That the clergy be requested to teach their people the principles of *Christian* giving, and to enforce the practice of these principles as they would teach and enforce any other principles of Christian living.

(2) That the Council affectionately urge on the Churches the adoption of the Christian method of Church finance: the one Lord's treasury, supplied

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y the weekly, systematic, proportionate free will offerings of the Lord's people, and disbursed as nearly as possible according to the mind of Jesus as expressed in the New Testament: for the simple expenses of the Church, for the poor, and for missions.

(3) That all other plans and devices for raising money for Christ's work, including all kinds of begging for money in the Lord's name be forever banished from our Church; and

(4) That those having charge of our Diocesan funds be requested to adjust their methods into accordance with the Christian system of Church finance.

NELSON P. DAME, *Chairman*,
JOHN P. TYLER,
ALBERT BAKER.

The tellers reported that the Rev. H. B. Lee and the Rev. R. A. Goodwin were elected the last two alternate Clerical Deputies to the General Convention.

Rev. C. E. Grammer moved that Mr. Dame's report be accepted, printed in the Journal, and the committee discharged.

Carried.

Rev. E. B. Burwell read the report of the Committee on Parochial Reports:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

From the 162 churches in the Diocese your Committee have received 98 reports against 103 received last year, from which your Committee have made the following summary:

All the reports are clearly filled up, and were forwarded to the Bishop in good time, but some of them were made not on official blanks. The number of confirmations is only 931, against the actual number reported by the Bishops, 1,046.

SUMMARY.

Baptisms—Adults, white, 260; colored, 5. Total.....	265
Infants, white, 435; colored, 5. Total	440
Grand total.....	705

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Confirmations—White, 923; colored, 8. Total.....	931
Number reported by the Bishops.....	1,046
Communicants—White, 8,991; colored, 123. Total.....	9,114
Marriages—White, 153; colored, 21. Total.....	174
Funerals—White, 342; colored, 16. Total.....	358
Sunday-schools—White, teachers, 785; scholars, 6,013. Total..	6,798
Colored, teachers, 41; scholars, 661. Total...	702
Grand total.....	7,500
Sunday-school contributions	\$3,813.80
Sunday-school scholars confirmed.....	218
Parochial schools—Paid teachers, 20; scholars, 300. Total....	320
Members of the Brotherhood	193
Total contributions.....	\$160,491.99
Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.	336
Members of the Woman's Auxiliary.....	611

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. BURWELL,
CHARLES H. LEE, JR.,
C. WOOLNOUGH.

Mr. Joseph Bryan read the report of the Committee on Finance:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

The Committee on Finance report that they have examined the accounts of Mr. James T. Gray, Treasurer, and have found them well and accurately stated, and his disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

They find that the total amount received for the year ending May 13th. 1895, from the quotas assessed on each Parish for the General expenses of the Diocese, including the salaries of our Bishop and our Assistant Bishop, amounted to \$7,140. There were also received some interest items which, to the amount of about \$150, may be reasonably relied upon to supplement the Contingent Fund for the coming year.

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The total absolutely necessary expenses of the Diocese, including the salaries and expenses of Bishops and Secretaries, the Examining Chaplains, the printing of the Journal and the small sum expended for stationery and extra printing, amount to \$7,227.57.

There were, last year, some other extraordinary expenses incident to the consecration of Bishop Newton, which, with the repairs and insurance of the Episcopal residence, make the total expense \$7,414.41.

It will thus be seen that even with the most economical management our indispensable expenses exceed our income from the Contingent Fund. No provision whatever being made, therefore, for any extraordinary, though almost inevitable, expenses.

The necessity, therefore, for the full and prompt payment of the Contingent Fund by the respective Parishes, was never so urgent as now. It should be remembered that our Assistant Bishop receives no allowance for house rent, and out of his salary has to pay for this prime necessity, which, even in any well regulated, self-supporting Parish, is provided for the minister. It is most desirable that a similar provision should be made for our Assistant Bishop, and this can be done, but can only be done by a fuller payment of the quotas due by each Parish.

Your committee desire to repeat what was said in the report of the Finance Committee of the last Council, that "the church does not lay an assessment on each communicant, but fixes the assessment upon the various Parishes at the rate of one dollar for each of its communicants, and that those who are able are expected and urged to contribute whatever may be necessary to pay the assessment upon their respective churches, that there may be no deficit."

If this is done, we will not be met with what promises to be an ever occurring deficit.

Your committee suggest that in the several parishes the collection of the contingent fund be not delayed until a few weeks before the Council, but that semi-annually a collection approximating in amount fifty cents for each communicant, be made, say in the Fall and in the Spring, in such way as the rector may deem most judicious.

As heretofore, the treasurer will keep his accounts open until the middle of June for the receipt of assessments, and all payments made before that time will be received and credited as if paid now.

There has been referred to your committee the report of a committee appointed at the last Council to examine the condition of the Secretary's office, in which report the expenditure of sums not exceeding ten or fifteen dollars for the purchase of certain books and rebinding of others mentioned in said report is recommended. Your committee recommend that the Bishop be authorized to make said expenditures whenever, in his judgment, there are funds in the hands of the treasurer available therefor. Your committee recommend that the sum of twenty-five dollars be paid to the assistant Sec-

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retary of this Council for his services. They further recommend that the sum of fifteen (\$15) dollars be paid to the sexton of this church for his services.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
R. CARTER WELLFORD,
R. BELCHES.

Charlottesville, Va., May 16, 1895.

On motion of Mr. Joseph Bryan, the report, with its recommendations, were adopted.

Rev. G. W. Nelson offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That rectors be requested to read to their congregations so much of this report as refers to the present urgent needs of the Diocese, and impress upon them the necessity for a full and prompt payment of the Contingent Fund.

Rev. H. B. Lee gave an invitation to the Council from Prof. Stone to visit the Observatory of the University this evening at 8 o'clock, and on motion of the Rev. A. C. Thomson the thanks of the Council were returned to Prof. Stone.

Adjourned for Divine service.

Service read by the Rev. T. D. Lewis. Sermon by Rev. J. J. Gravatt.

Council re-assembled with Bishop Whittle in the chair.

The Rev. J. Thompson Cole, Secretary of the American Church Missionary Society, was introduced by the President, who made an address in the interest of said Society.

Major R. Taylor Scott read the following report of Committee on Clerical Support:

COMMITTEE ON CLERICAL SUPPORT.

Your committee respectfully report that of the 103 churches given by the Committee on Parochial Reports in 1894, but seventy-three (73) treasurers have sent in reports; from these reports there are churches and parishes without rectories fifteen (15).

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Parishes and churches *in arrear* to their rectors nine (9), viz:

Emmanuel Church, Rockingham county, deficit	\$64.89
St. Paul's Church, Haymarket Parish, deficit.....	57.00
St. John's Church, Rivanna Parish, deficit.....	39.20
Grace Church, St. Mary's Parish, deficit	21.00
Christ and Trinity Churches, Kingston Parish, deficit.....	175.00
Wickliffe Church, Wickliffe Parish, deficit.....	20.00
St. James' Church, Ashland Parish, deficit \$41.65; added to last year's arrearage, sum total	125.00
All Saints' Church, St. James', Northam, deficit.	4.25
White Chapel, Trinity and Grace Churches, Christ Church Parish, deficit.....	62.30

Churches and parishes vacant, two (2).

Respectfully submitted,

R. TAYLOR SCOTT, *Chairman*,
R. POWELL PAGE,
WILLIAM F. GRAY,
JOHN W. GORDON.

May 17, 1895.

Rev. O. M. Yerger read the following paper on the death of Rev.
T. L. Hynes:

A MINUTE.

It is with deep regret that the Council has just learned of the unexpected death of our brother, the Rev. J. T. L. Hynes, Rector of Beckford Parish, Mount Jackson, Shenandoah County, Virginia.

Mr. Hynes has been with us only a few years but has endeared himself to those who knew him by his uniform courtesy and Christian character.

In his death we lament the loss of a faithful and efficient minister, brother and friend.

The Council expresses its heartfelt sympathy for the bereaved wife and children.

NELSON P. DAME,
O. M. YERGER.

This minute was adopted by the Council with a rising vote:

The Secretary was directed to send this minute to his family.

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Mr. L. M. Blackford read the report of the Committee on the Brotherhood:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE BROTHERHOOD.

The Committee on the Brotherhood beg leave to submit the following report:

The decline to less than 200 members since the division of the Diocese is even greater than might have been expected and is to be deplored, yet the fact that the collections so nearly correspond with this figure, is encouraging. That the number should be, and by proper effort can be, readily trebled or quadrupled, your committee is satisfied.

The report of the Treasurer, filed herewith, announces the death, in the past year, of two honored and beloved members—Drs. Minnigerode and Nelson—for each of whom, unfortunately, collections so far reach only \$190.00. The recent appointment of agents in six Richmond churches and a cheerful hope of soon securing many more in the Diocese at large, are reported by the Treasurer, so that the outlook, all things considered, is not discouraging.

Completing, as it does, at this Council the twenty-fifth year of its existence, the Brotherhood may claim to have effected, in proportion to its disbursements, as much good as any organization in the Diocese. Your committee, in conclusion, can only urge once more upon the clergy and laity its more zealous and constant support.

L. M. BLACKFORD,
JOHN G. WILLIAMS,
J. M. G. MCGUIRE.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE BROTHERHOOD.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., MAY 15TH, 1895.

To the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

It becomes my painful duty to announce the death of two of the clergy since the last meeting of the Council, Rev. Charles Minnigerode, D. D., and Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D., who were members of the Brotherhood.

\$189.95 has been collected for the heirs of Dr. Minnigerode, and \$190.00 for the heirs of Dr. Nelson, and other assessments are in process of collection.

I have succeeded in getting an agent for the six churches in Richmond, who had none recently, and hope soon to have an agent appointed for all the churches in the Diocese and thereby get the Brotherhood on a higher footing than ever before.

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mount on hand:

2) \$500 6% City of Manchester bonds.....	\$1,000 00
h in Citizen's Bank.....	579 19

Respectfully submitted,

CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Treasurer of the Brotherhood.

Mr. Thomas Potts moved that the Treasurer of the Diocese be authorized to use \$600, part of call loan of \$1,500, in his possession to pay the rent of the residence of the Assistant Bishop for the year ending May 1st, 1896.

Carried.

Rev. L. R. Mason called the attention of the Council to the work needs of the Protestant Episcopal Church Home.

Rev. J. R. Ellis offered the following which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council extend its cordial thanks to the good people of Charlottesville for their hospitality; to the rector and vestry of Christ Church; to its choir for their excellent music and faithful attendance on the meetings and services of the Council; to the Committee of Arrangements for their careful attention on the delegates; to the pages for their ready assistance in transacting the business of the Council; and to the several managers of the railroads for their kindness and liberality in giving reduced rates on their several roads to the delegates in attendance on the Council.

Major Page offered the following:

Resolved, That the suggestions made by the Special Committee on Finance, in their report read this morning by Rev. N. P. Dame, be referred to a special committee of three, two clergymen and one layman, to be cast in practical shape and be brought before the Council for action. And that committee be requested to report at this session of the Council if possible, but if not, at the next meeting of the Council in Alexandria.

Bishop Newton offered the following as a substitute:

Resolved, That said report be referred to the Executive Committee of the Chesapeake Missionary Society and report to the next Council.

Carried.

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The following was offered by the Rev. R. A. Castleman:

Resolved, That the Council recommend to the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society that the present appropriation for the services of the Evangelist be continued to the first day of October next, and then cease.

The following substitute was offered by Prof. Garnett, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council recommend to the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society that they continue the appropriation for the salary of the Evangelist.

Rev. R. A. Goodwin read the report of the Committee on the State of the Church:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The Committee on the State of the Church would respectfully report—

As we, who are assembled in the one hundredth annual Council of the Diocese of Virginia, look back upon the way the Lord our God hath led our Church through the one hundred and ten years of its existence as a Diocese, we have manifold and abundant evidence that this Church is dear to God. One hundred years ago clouds and darkness were round about her, and many who were accounted wise in their generation predicted that the Protestant Episcopal Church would soon be extinct in Virginia; but He who can bring light out of darkness and make the weak to be strong, had ordained that this Diocese should have a very different history.

In Colonial days this Church had given the light of truth to those who had been and were to be most influential in founding this government, and God designed that she should train many more who would be strong through the truth to develop and defend the principles which were destined to give the light of liberty to the world. But God had planned for the Church in Virginia "greater things than these." From her fold were to go missionaries who would carry the gospel of the grace of God to the dark places of the earth, and by being faithful unto death in far off lands, would kindle zeal and love in the hearts of others. Within her borders was to be built a School of the Prophets where hundreds of faithful men, who loved the Lord Jesus Christ, would be trained to preach salvation from sin by faith in a crucified Saviour, and not by the works of the moral, ceremonial, ecclesiastical or ritual law, in all parts of this great country and in distant lands. This Church was to furnish Bishops to many Dioceses. She was to exert a con-

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rative influence in the Councils of the General Church by standing firm "the faith once delivered to the saints." God loved this Church, and the Godly bishops and ministers to be over His people, who were faithful shepherds to feed the flock.

The weak and discouraged remnant of one hundred years ago has become the bands. The Bishops of the three Dioceses in Virginia were side by side in this Council. With thankful and hopeful hearts we can say: "Hitherto the Lord helped us."

The reports which have been made to this Council show that the blessing God has been upon our Diocese during the past year. We hear of "showers of blessing" in some places, and from no part of the Church has the dew of his grace been withheld. Our Bishops report that more than 300 persons have been confirmed during the year, and four new churches have been consecrated. Increased contributions have been made for Diocesan Missions. The children's lenten offering amounted to more than \$2,000. The Woman's Auxiliary has accomplished untold good. The work of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, organized in many of our congregations to pray and work for the salvation of young men, cannot be measured by statistics. There is peace and harmony, love, zeal and within our borders.

But we must not be "at ease in Zion." "There is yet much land" in our Diocese "to be possessed." Possibly at no time in our history have the conditions for the extension of our Church been better in Virginia. There are many towns, villages and country neighborhoods where our Church can be established, to bring direct and indirect good to all the people, if ministers be supported. Probably there has not been a time since the first Council of this Diocese assembled when there was as little prejudice against this rich. We must have ministers, and they must be supported. To this we would call special attention to the necessity of increased contributions to our Education Society and to the Diocesan Missionary Society.

The great majority of our candidates for orders come from the country, most of them must be aided by the Education Society.

Our country churches while increasing in numbers, when ministers are enabled to live by the help of the Diocesan Missionary Society, are, in many cases, decreasing in financial ability. The town and city churches are retarded from the country parishes. If we are truly grateful for past blessings, present opportunities, let us show by our works increased interest in these two important societies.

We have a vast field for missionary work among the colored people of our Diocese. Virginia was the first of the colonies, and, we believe, the first people in the world to protest officially against the slave trade. Ours was the first time the only church in Virginia. The slave trade was forced upon

Untold evils followed in its train. We have the descendants of these slaves among us. They did not come willingly and we should not hold their

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descendants responsible for the evil. God permitted them to come that we might do them good. May the old Diocese be faithful to her duty.

We rejoice with our Bishop that the first step has been taken in our Diocese towards the restoration of the apostolic order of deaconesses.

A large number of Sunday-school scholars is reported. These children are the hope of the Church of the future. We should see that they be taught, so soon as they be able to learn, that they are members of the Church. We should see that they be grounded in the doctrines of the gospel as set forth in the Catechism, and that they be taught to love the services of the Church.

We believe there has been much improvement of late years in the music in our churches, but we think much more can be done to secure congregational singing, and thus increase the interest and spirituality of our worship, if the ministers will exercise the authority, and feel the responsibility, given them by the Canon, to give order not only what hymns, but what tunes are to be sung.

With so much to thank God for in the past, and so many present blessings, we must not forget that the duty of contending for the faith is ever a present duty of the Church Militant. "First pure, then peaceable," is the inspired rule we must follow. In this age of sentimental Christian love we are sorely tempted to forget that while every man may believe what he will, he cannot honestly teach, *as a minister of this Church*, what this Church has condemned as error, nor can he deny what this Church has affirmed, and what he promised to teach before he was admitted to the ministry of this Church. The Christian conscience of our age is very elastic, and it is for us to protest that no man can honestly teach Romanism or Rationalism while he wears the robes of office of this Church. The Prayer Book is our only standard of worship. The thirty-nine articles and the two creeds cannot be denied. The Holy Scriptures are inspired, and contain all things necessary to salvation. We believe that special attention should be called at this time to the doctrine of this Church. There are subjects classed under the head of Doctrines which, because the limitations are not clearly defined in Holy Scripture, may be called matters of opinion; upon these we do not touch. There are others which are clearly set forth as the "Faith once delivered," and are essentials of the Gospel of salvation—that Gospel of which St. Paul writes: "Though an angel from Heaven preach any other Gospel, let him be anathema." It is preaching "another gospel" to deny the great doctrine of the atonement. This is being done to an alarming extent by some who were ordained to teach the truth as this Church hath received the same.

In more than one pulpit the Incarnation and Resurrection of our Lord, as this Church holds these truths and as they are set forth in Holy Scripture, have been assailed. The virgin birth of our blessed Lord, and the Resurrection of the body, are denied. And as a consequence, the exceeding sinfulness of sin is not pressed upon the attention of men, and the absolute need of pardon through Him who was made sin for us is not preached.

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We are thankful that, so far as we know, the Church in Virginia is sound, as heretofore, upon these great fundamentals; that from all our pulpits the truth is taught of an incarnate, crucified, risen and ascended Lord Jesus Christ, as the only name given under Heaven among men whereby we must be saved; but we feel called upon to protest against these denials of the faith wherever and by whomsoever made. And we pray that the God of our fathers, who has blessed our Diocese in the past and who is graciously blessing it at the present, will defend us from false teachers and keep us steadfast in the faith.

R. A. GOODWIN,
G. W. NELSON,
NELSON P. DAME,
JOHN W. GREEN,
WM. A. BROCKENBROUGH,
WM. K. GATEWOOD.

Rev. R. A. Castleman read the report of the Committee on Sunday-Schools:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

There is no need to urge upon so intelligent and earnest a body as this the great importance of Sunday-schools in the life of the Church; its twofold mission to train up the baptized children to a realization of the obligations their birthright thus acknowledged, and to gather in from the streets of the cities and the lanes of the country the lambs without a shepherd.

We fear there is always need to urge upon parents not to make the Sunday-school the substitute for that home-training in the ways and the Word of the Lord, which is a sacred trust not to be delegated to any other.

A comparison with last year's statistics shows a falling off in every point but one, as follows:

	Teachers.	Pupils.	Contributions.	Pupils Confirmed.
1894.. . . .	1,043	7,334	\$4,008.27	154
1895.....	826	6,674	3,813.80	218
Decrease...	217	660	\$194.47	Increase....64

This apparent loss we are inclined to attribute to the fact that fewer parochial reports have been presented this year than last.

The handsome contribution of the children to Diocesan Missions is a cause of thankfulness, particularly as being an evidence of deep interest, present and prospective, in the maintenance of the Church's work here in our beloved Diocese.

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We confine ourselves to a few leading principles and we trust practical suggestions.

No system of instruction, however elaborate and in other respects thorough, should be allowed to displace the plain words and teachings of the Bible itself, and next to that of the Church's Catechism.

We can but emphasize the warning of last year's committee that we allow not our Sunday-schools "to be regarded as a *mere money-raising agency—a mine to be worked for the gold that is in it.*"

In which connection we urge most earnestly the principle, that the Church ought to support the Sunday-school; the people who will not, or cannot, do the active work, should at least provide for the maintenance of the school. The children should not be called upon from their contributions to provide for the expenses of the school; but in their offerings be taught, as far as possible, the principle of Christian missions. *A due proportion* in giving should be inculcated. To which end, the offerings of one Sunday in each month devoted to each of the four great branches of the work (Parochial, Diocesan, Domestic and Foreign) would, where practicable, largely conduce. In any case, we commend to all the Churches the recommendation of the last Council (already followed to good effect by several Churches) of giving the contributions of one Sunday in each month to Diocesan Missions. Certainly all of the Sunday-schools could give the offerings of one Sunday in each quarter.

The children should be kept informed in advance of the objects to which their gifts are to be devoted, and from time to time be told the results of their contributions.

The relations of the minister to the Sunday-school should be carefully considered and conscientiously fulfilled. He must avoid the extremes of neglect and of too much interference. He should, by his frequent presence and kindly interest encourage the pupils and stimulate the officers and teachers—his co-workers—to the faithful fulfillment of their ministry; but not take the whole burden of responsibility upon himself.

The absence in so many reports of any statement as to the number of catechisings, indicates, we fear, a far too general neglect of this the pastor's peculiar duty. We are quite conscious of the difficulties in the way of so many of our over-worked clergy, yet think it possible to almost all to have, at least once a month, a catechising of the Sunday-school for fifteen minutes before the hour of Divine service; and are sure that such a practice would be very helpful to the Sunday-schools and to themselves.

The discontinuance of so many of our Sunday-schools in winter is, we fear, a fatal mistake. This annual stop and start afresh method is very hurtful. The element of *continuity* is of greatest value in this as in all matters of organization. The difficulties in some cases seem insurmountable, but the effort to overcome them is worth the making, and is often greatly blessed. Success consist not in numbers but in spirit; a few regularly present and

Friday P. M.

faithfully taught will soon draw to themselves many more. Let our lay people ever bear in mind that *they have a mission and a ministry* as well as have the clergy; and that the call to service and to sacrifice is as strong upon them as upon their pastors.

Let those who cannot actively work in the Sunday-schools bear them upon their hearts, show what practical interest in them they can, and at least offer to our Heavenly Father earnest and constant prayer for wisdom and fidelity for those who are bearing the burden and heat of the day.

From prayers will come enkindled interest, and from enkindled interest, active participation.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. CASTLEMAN, *Chairman*.
J. J. GRAVATT,
E. S. HINKS,
E. C. HARRISON,
C. B. CHILTON,
W. J. CAREY.

The pastors of the various churches of the city, through the Rev. I. B. Lee, extended an invitation to the clergy of the Council to preach in their pulpits next Sunday morning.

The thanks of the Council were returned by a rising vote.

Rev. J. W. Johnson offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council expresses its continued interest in the work of the Church among the colored people of this State, and recommend to the rectors and Churches of the Diocese the wisdom of setting apart a certain day upon which a collection shall be taken up and forwarded to the Bishop as the Treasurer of the Diocese for this work.

The Council took recess until 4 P. M.

FRIDAY, 4 P. M.

The Council re-assembled, and was called to order by Bishop Newton.

Major John Page offered the following:

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Resolved, That Thursday be inserted in Article I of Constitution where Wednesday now occurs.

Rev. G. W. Nelson offered the following substitute:

Resolved, That the Bishop of the Diocese be requested to urge upon the members of the Council to remain over Sunday, and that the Bishop make an address Sunday night.

A motion to adjourn was made and lost.

Rev. H. B. Lee raised the point that the substitute of Mr. Nelson was not in order.

The chair sustained the point and ruled out the substitute.

The motion of Major Page was put and lost.

After reading the minutes, singing the hymn "Blest be the tie that binds," and prayer by the President, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

F. M. WHITTLE, *President*.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

Joseph Ravenscroft Jones.

Born in Charlestown, West Va., June 11th, 1828.

dained in 1857, and took charge for a few months of Emmanuel Church, Hanover County.

In the Fall of 1857, he became rector of Kingston Parish, Ma-
wys County, and of Christ Church, Christ Church Parish, Middle-
County. In 1858 he took charge of Christ Church, Millwood,
Clarke County, where he was rector to 1881. His other charges
re—Meade Memorial Church, White Post ; Calvary Church, Front
oyal, and St. Thomas' Church, Middletown.

He built the Church at White Post, which is a Memorial to Bishop
ade, and rebuilt Calvary Church, Front Royal. These two beau-
ful churches are monuments to his zeal and energy.

Died August 15th, 1894.

"A beloved brother and faithful Minister in the Lord."

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IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

Charles Minnigerode, D. D.

Born in Westphalia, Germany, August 6th, 1814.

Moved to this Country in 1839, was Professor at William and Mary College, 1843-1848.

Ordained Deacon by Bishop Johns in 1846, and Priest in 1847.

His various charges were mission work around Williamsburg 1846-1848. Brandon and Merchants Hope Churches, Prince George County, 1848-1853—Christ Church, Norfolk, 1853-1856—St. Paul's Church, Richmond, 1856-1889.

Deputy to the General Conventions for many sessions—Examining Chaplain of the Diocese—President of the Virginia Bible Society.

Died in Alexandria, Oct. 13th, 1894, in the 81st year of his age.

"I kept back nothing that was profitable unto you, but have showed you and have taught you publicly and from house to house."

IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

Kinloch Nelson, D. D.

Born in Clarke County, Va., Nov. 2d, 1839.

Educated at the Episcopal High School, and at the University
of Virginia.

Served faithfully as a Confederate Soldier from 1861 to 1865.

Entered the Theological Seminary of Virginia in 1867 ; graduated
1868, and ordained Deacon by Bishop Johns, and ordained Priest
by Bishop Whittle in 1869.

Was rector of Leed's Parish, Fauquier County, 1868-1874—Rector
of Grace Church, Richmond, 1874-1876. He was Professor at the
Theological Seminary of Virginia from 1876, until his death.

He was deputy to the General Convention 1886-1889-1892.

He was elected Bishop of the Diocese of Easton in 1886, but de-
clined it.

Died suddenly October 25th, 1894.

"He was a good man and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith."

APPENDIX.

Treasurers' and Parochial Reports, &c.,
for 1895.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA,
in account with JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

1894.	RECEIPTS.	
May	5—Balance on hand this date	\$2,831 00
	Falls Church Sunday-school, Fairfax co., additional..	1 06
	7—Greenway Church Parish, White Post, Va. Meade	
	Memorial Church Sunday-school	5 68
	St. Mathew's Church Sunday-school, Essex county..	2 00
	Children's lenten-boxes: Ida and Bertie Beverly, \$2.40;	
	Maggie Pilkinton, \$1.11; May Sale, 50 cts.; Child-	
	ren at Blandfield, \$8.02; Barron Baird, \$2.00; Katie	
	Davis, 75 cts.	14 78
	Grace Church, Albemarle	24 91
	Grace Church, Albemarle, Sunday-school	38 80
	St. John's, Louisa	6 94
	St. Mark's, Richmond	9 24
	8—All Saint's, Richmond	140 11
	A friend	50
	9—St. Mary's, Goochland	7 46
	Churches in King George county, additional	7 13
	Christ Church, Charlottesville	4 00
	11—St. John's Church, Richmond	126 78
	Emmanuel Church, Henrico. Easter Christmas	
	offering	53 27
	St. John's Church Sunday-school, Richmond	50 00
	14—St. Andrew's Church, Richmond	2 00
	Warrenton Church, R. W. Hilleary	22 51
	Warrenton Church Sunday-school	28 54
	E. F. C. A., Ashland	4 13
	Moore Memorial Church Sunday-school, Richmond..	51 85
	15—St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Gordonsville	6 50
	Grace Church, The Plains	7 00
	Church of Our Saviour, Fauquier	9 25
	16—Abingdon Parish Sunday-school, additional, Glou-	
	cester	1 94
	Ware Parish, Gloucester, Sunday-school, additional..	60
	17—Miss S. A. Edrington, Overwharton Parish	2 00
	Grace Church, Goochland	2 74
	Church of The Redeemer, Henrico	7 00
	18—Council in St. James' Church, Richmond	44 30
	19—Vawter's Church, Essex	2 00
	23—Christ Church, Richmond	22 38
	25—Cople Parish, Westmoreland	30 17

Diocesan Missions.

y 28—St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline.....	4 03
St. Peter's Church, New Kent	3 90
Immanuel Church, Hanover.. ..	2 75
St. Paul's Church, Hanover.....	2 05
St. Martin's Church, Hanover.....	2 80
Fork Church, Hanover.....	4 50
Trinity Church, Hanover.....	3 00
Church of Our Saviour.....	2 91
30—Christ Church Sunday-school, Winchester.....	74 69
1—St. Mary's Church, Goochland.....	3 16
Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	5 40
4—Grace Church, Bremsburg.....	5 00
St. John's Church, Columbia.....	2 59
Rev. E. Meade:	
Grace Church, Madison C. H.....	\$7 50
Stanardsville, Greene county.....	1 73
Grace Church, Fluvanna.....	2 07
St. John's, Columbia.....	1 25
St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline.....	4 29
Mt. Calvary Church, Loudoun.....	4 22
	21 06
Mrs. Nannie W. Baylor, Loretto.....	18 00
7—Monumental Church, Richmond	50 00
12—Rev. E. Meade:	
Grace Church, Prince William county.....	\$5 50
Calvary Church, Page county.	4 90
Grace Church, Rockingham.....	9 02
	19 42
14—St. Thomas' Church Sunday-school, Orange county, additional.....	1 00
St. Thomas' Church, Bp. Visitation, Orange county.	23 82
Christ Church, Alexandria.....	18 00
15—Christ Church, Albemarle, Bishop Newton.....	9 38
St. John's Church, Albemarle, Bishop Newton.....	3 07
Trinity Church, Upperville.....	15 00
16—Emmanuel Church, Fauquier.	8 00
Emmanuel Church, Loudoun.....	10 00
Our Redeemer, Loudoun.....	7 12
18—Emmanuel, Rapidan.....	12 54
All Saint's new Chapel.....	7 62
Grace Church Sunday-school, Alexandria.....	4 61
Mrs. John E. Wright, Jr., Hodge's Ferry.....	1 00
19—Christ Church, Brandy Station.....	4 33

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June	19—Calvary Church, Ridley Parish..	4 14	
	21—St. Paul's Church, Ivy Depot.....	15 33	
	Emmanuel Church, Greenwood.....	5 00	
	22—St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper.	16 75	
	26—Christ Church, Charlottesville	20 35	
	Grace Church, Albemarle, Woman's Auxiliary.....	8 60	
	Piedmont Church, Madison	3 50	
	29—A friend.	15 00	
	In Memoriam Miss M. B. H.....	15 00	
	Mrs. Dr. Wm. N. Barton.	4 75	
July	2—Kingston Parish, Mathews county.....	10 21	
	5—Church of Our Saviour, Hanover.....	2 00	
	Emmanuel Church, Hanover.....	1 00	
	6—Rev. E. Meade:		
	Christ Church, Spotsylvania.....	\$3 57	
	South River, Fauquier.....	1 87	
	Leed's, Fauquier	8 14	
	Quantico, Prince William.....	7 21	
		—	20 79
	Zion Church, Fairfax, Bishop Newton.....	8 67	
	Zion Church Mission Chapel of Good Shepherd.....	2 30	
	Trinity Church, Manassas....	3 03	
	St. Paul's Church, New Market, Bishop Newton....	12 00	
	10—Christ Church, Alexandria.....	18 17	
	Christ Church, West Point.....	3 10	
	12—Grace Church, Whittle Parish (Rev. J. J. Norwood),	12 11	
	Trinity Church, Whittle Parish.....	5 35	
	Whittle Chapel, Whittle Parish.....	1 30	
	Church of Our Saviour, Whittle Parish.....	5 00	
	Woman's Miss. Society, St. Paul's Church, Alex'a...	19 05	
	Unknown.	9 05	
	18—St. Paul's Church, Culpeper county....	5 00	
	Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	15 00	
	20—Meade Memorial Church, White Post.....	1 00	
	21—Rev. E. Meade:		
	Buck Mt., Albemarle county..	\$8 00	
	Grace, Rockingham.....	2 47	
		—	10 47
	St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline.....	2 21	
	25—St. Timothy's, Herndon.....	3 78	
	Christ Church, Chantilly.....	3 27	
	Falls Church, Chantilly	5 98	
	27—Rev. W. C. Latane, Oak Grove, for colored work....	5 00	

Diocesan Missions.

30—St. James' Church, Montross Parish.	2 00
1—Rev. E. Meade:	
Calvary Church, Page county.....	\$5 37
St. Mary's, Goochland.....	5 60
	10 97
3—St. Thomas,' Middletown	1 00
4—Staunton	5 00
Abingdon Church, Gloucester.. ..	9 37
Holy Innocents' Chapel, Gloucester	6 51
Ware Church, Gloucester.....	9 26
Ware Parish Sunday-school.....	1 05
6—Christ Church, Port Haywood.. ..	7 91
Trinity, Port Haywood.....	2 99
9—L. E. Uhler.....	1 00
13—St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	1 45
Our Master's Cause (Dr. Powers).....	1 00
A friend.	50
15—Rev. E. Meade:	
St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline.....	6 84
16—Collections at St. James' Church, first Sunday in the month	10 61
20—Emmanuel church, Richmond county.....	4 50
21—Leed's Parish, Fauquier county.	5 20
23—St. James' church, Louisa	2 00
25—Cople Parish, Westmoreland.....	8 00
Whittle Parish, Fauquier....	21 15
31—Miss Sallie Tompkins....	50
St. 1—St. Luke's chapel, Richmond.....	2 46
3—Two communicants Grace church, Berryville....	3 50
Collection at Bowling Green.....	3 69
St. James' church, Ashland.....	10 00
4—Rev. E. Meade:	
Fork church, Hanover	\$4 08
St. Mary's, Goochland.....	3 39
St. John's, Essex.. ..	2 16
St. Peter's, Westmoreland.....	4 13
	13 76
5—Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax, Bishop's Visitation.....	14 20
7—St. Paul's, Haymarket.....	8 80
19—St. Stephen's, Fauquier....	7 00
Grace Church, Fauquier.....	5 75
St. Luke's, Fauquier.....	3 50

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Sep.	19—Rev. E. Meade:	
	St. Peter's, Westmoreland	\$2 84
	St. James,' Westmoreland.....	1 11
	St. John's, Essex.....	4 54
	St. Paul's, Essex.....	1 37
	Immanuel, King & Queen	3 10
	Church at Barboursville.....	2 00
Oct.	1—Grace church, Albemarle.....	
	St. John's, Louisa.....	
	Our Redeemer, Fauquier, John's Parish; Emmanuel, Fauquier, John's Parish; Trinity, Fauquier, Meade Parish; Emmanuel, Fauquier, Piedmont.....	
	In memory of S. A. G., Mitchells.....	
	3—St. Martin's, Hanover.. ..	
	Church of Our Saviour, Hanover.....	
	8—Christ church parish, Lancaster county	
	9—Bishop's Visitation:	
	St. Paul's, Loudoun.....	\$17 80
	Christ, Loudoun.....	3 00
	Mt. Calvary, Loudoun.....	4 66
	Kingston Parish, Mathews.	
	Dumfries church, Prince William, Bishop Newton...	
	Mrs. Flora Stuart	
	15—Leesburg and Oatlands, visit of Bishop Newton....	
	16—Westover Parish, Charles City county.....	
	17—Richmond Clericus, paid by Rev. E. Meade. To be returned to them if asked for.....	
	St. Andrew's church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	
	18—Rev. J. H. Birckhead.....	
	19—Rev. Chas. S. Harrison, Bishop Newton's Visitation, Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock county.....	
	24—St. John's church, West Point.....	
	26—Rev. G. W. Nelson, Warrenton.....	
	27—St. Luke's church, Essex (Rev. P. Powers).....	
Nov.	5—St. James' church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	
	9—Rev. E. Mead:	
	Calvary church, Page county.....	\$2 76
	Christ church, Page county.....	1 89
	Calvary, Warren.....	11 74
	Meade Memorial, Clarke.....	3 26
	St. Thomas', Frederick.....	2 77

Diocesan Missions.

3—Christ church, Lancaster county (Bishop Newton)	17 00
2—A friend, through Rev. H. Suter	30 00
4—St. John's church, King George C. H.	6 67
Emmanuel, King George C. H.	5 70
6—St. John's, Columbia	2 00
1—Grace, Breemo Bluff	1 57
Grace and Trinity churches, Fauquier	16 60
St. Paul's Parish, King George	7 00
2—Cople Parish, Westmoreland	12 60
St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond	1 36
6—Ladies' Guild, Emmanuel Church, Albemarle county	10 00
0—St. James' Church, Montross	2 60
Childrens' Missionary Society, Oak Grove	2 70
Payne's Chapel and St. Peter's, Washington Parish . .	9 70
1—Vawter's Church, Essex	10 00
Collection from Somerset Mission	7 74
Christ Church, Gordonsville	7 00
St. John's Church, Tappahannock	5 50
St. Paul's Church, Essex	5 70
Immanuel Chapel, King and Queen	4 80
Woman's Missionary Society, St. Paul's, Alexandria,	21 36
3—St. Martin's Parish, Hanover	15 00
Unknown	4 87
7—St. James' Church, Ashland	10 00
Emmanuel Church, North Farnham Parish	5 00
10—Rev. E. Meade:	
St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline	\$2 47
Emmanuel Church, Hanover	1 75
Trinity Church, Rappahannock	10 10
St. Paul's Church, Rappahannock	5 68
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	20 00
Trinity Church, Fredericksburg	5 61
Trinity Church, Fredericksburg, Sunday-school . . .	2 06
12—St. David's Church, King William	4 00
Grace Memorial Church, Rockingham	10 00
St. Luke's Mission Church, Essex	5 00
17—Grace Church Sunday-school, Alexandria	6 01
St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond	1 54
19—Rev. E. Meade:	
Calvary Church, Front Royal	6 61
St. Thomas', Middletown	1 44
Meade Memorial Church, White Post	2 59
Christ Church, Goresville	2 88

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Dec.	19—St. James' Church, Montross	1 00	
	20—Emmanuel Church, Henrico	440 58	
	21—Mrs. S. F. Scott, Madison Run, Orange	3 00	
	24—St. Margaret's Church Sunday-school, Caroline	21	
	26—Mrs. A. Wade, Richmond	5 00	
	28—Kingston Parish, Mathews county	17 00	
	31—"F," Northumberland	1 00	
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Jan'y	2—Rev. E. Meade:		
	St. John's Church, West Point	\$5 94	
	St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper	6 57	
			12 51
	St. George's Chapel, Fredericksburg	1	11
	St. Luke's Chapel Richmond		8
	3—Grace Church, Rockingham	5 00	
	4—Abingdon Church, Gloucester	2	2
	6—St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond	1	11
	Holy Innocents' Chapel, Gloucester	1	5
	7—A friend	15	00
	In Memoriam Miss M. B. H.	15	00
	8—Christ Church Parish	14	00
	15—Rev. E. Meade:		
	Fork Church, Hanover	\$2 84	
	St. Martin's Church, Hanover	1 16	
	St. Margaret's Church, Caroline	1 34	
			5 34
	Piedmont Church, Madison	8 50	
	St. James' Church, Louisa	1 58	
	St. John's Church, Warsaw	7 52	
	16—St. Mark's Church Sunday-school, Richmond	10 53	
	17—John G. Williams	10 00	
	18—A friend for New Year	25	
	22—St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond	1 03	
	29—St. Mary's, Goochland	3 83	
	Woman's Miss. Soc'y, St. Paul's Church, Alexandria,	43 12	
	A member of said Society	5 00	
Feb.	1—Rev. E. Meade:		
	Emmanuel Church, Culpeper	11 04	
	St. Stephen's Church	3 41	
	Through Bishop Whittle	1 00	
	2—St. Peter's Church Sunday-school, Westmoreland	2 55	
	St. Peter's Church, Westmoreland	45	
	4—St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond	1 25	

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4—St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond.....		93
8—St. James' Church, Richmond.....		17 74
3—Kingston Parish, Mathews county.....		9 00
8—Woman's Auxiliary, Monumental Church, Richmond.		10 00
Mrs. J. D. Turner through Rev. P. Powers		1 00
St. Andrew's Church.....		2 77
0—St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.		50 00
Mrs. R. S. Stringfellow, St. Paul's, Culpeper.....		2 00
A member of St. Paul's Church, Culpeper.....		1 00
Christ Church, Alexandria		10 00
1—Rev. E. Meade:		
St. John's Church, Essex	\$2 15	
St. John's, West Point	5 62	
St. Stephen's, Culpeper.....	12 29	
Memorial Chapel, Culpeper	5 00	
Emmanuel, Rapidan.....	5 22	
		30 28
Miss S. L. Tompkins.....		3 00
Through Rev. H. Suter, Alexandria.....		30 00
4—St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond.....		1 25
Epiphany Mission, Barton Heights.....		8 20
St. Paul's Church.....		9 08
6—St. James', Ashland.....		12 00
11—Charles Thompson, Thompson's X Roads		1 00
12—Rev. J. H. Birkhead, Stafford Courthouse.....		3 15
10—St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....		200 00
13—Whittle Parish, Fauquier.....		15 00
18—Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.....		12 14
1—Rev. E. Meade:		
St. David's Church, Ayletts.....	\$6 79	
Grace, Lynnwood.....	70	
Calvary, Shenandoah	8 57	
Christ, Luray.....	1 60	
Calvary, Front Royal.....	5 12	
Meade Memorial, White Post.....	3 60	
St Thomas', Middletown.....	1 93	
Christ Church, Spotsylvania.....	2 08	
		30 39
4—Kingston Parish, Mathews county.....		11 88
9—Rev. E. Meade:		
Grace Church, Casanova.....	\$6 67	
St. Stephen's, Fauquier	1 70	
St. Luke's, Remington.....	2 28	
		10 65

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April 13—Grace Memorial, Rockingham.....	10 00
Grace, Bremono Bluff	5 00
15—St. Margaret's Church Sunday-school, Caroline.....	3 75
Emmanuel, Albemarle.....	5 00
16—St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.....	50 00
St. George's Sunday-school, Fredericksburg	100 00
Ministering Childrens' League, Grace C'h, Casanova.....	16 81
Member of Grace Church, Casanova.....	1 00
St. John's Church, Columbia	3 61
Christ Church, Alexandria	26 25
Epiphany Branch of Woman's Auxiliary, Barton Heights, Henrico county.....	11 23
Rev. E. Meade:	
Piedmont Church, Madison Courthouse.....	6 44
17—Fork Church, Hanover.....	10 00
St. James', Ashland, Sunday-school.....	28 00
Trinity Church, Washington county.....	19 92
St. Paul's Church, Woodville.....	2 87
Grace Church, Berryville.....	25 18
Grace Sunday-school, Berryville.....	43 01
George Perrini, St. Andrew's Church, Richmond....	3 00
18—Little Ben H. Frayser, Powhatan county.....	40
Miss Mary Holland, Goochland.....	20
Little Parmelia Ish, Neabsco Mills, Prince William ..	20
Abingdon Parish, Gloucester county.....	3 98
Abingdon Sunday-school, Gloucester county.....	7 93
Woman's Auxiliary, Abingdon and Ware Parishes....	2 87
Ware Parish, Gloucester county	95
Ware Parish Sunday-school, Gloucester county	6 21
19—St. Luke's Mission, Essex county.....	15 00
St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	81 41
Holy Trinity, Richmond	20 33
Rev. J. S. Douglas, Shenandoah	5 63
Middletown	1 23
22—Pohick Church, Fairfax.....	15 00
Emmanuel Church, Hanover.....	6 56
Wickliffe Missionary Society, Wickliffe Church, Clarke county	20 00
Collection from convocation.....	2 60
St. James' Church Sunday-school, Louisa.....	1 18
St. James' Church, Louisa.....	1 00
St. Andrew's, Richmond.....	23 24
23—St. Paul's Sunday-school, Richmond	222 97

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13—Grace Sunday-school, Bremono Bluff.....	9 61
Earnest Kenneth and Mercer Lowry	40
Five little Virginia children, Waco, Texas.....	1 60
St. Stephen's, Culpeper.....	14 10
St. Stephen's Sunday-school, Culpeper.....	13 20
Ladies' Guild, St. Stephen's, Culpeper.....	5 00
St. James' Church, Richmond ..	357 54
Unknown	1 04
St. Mark's Sunday-school, Richmond.....	50 00
John M. Miller, Middletown, through Bishop Whittle,	2 50
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Hamilton.	25 00
Christ Church Sunday-school, Goresville.....	7 14
St. Paul's Church, Hamilton	9 72
Christ Church, Goresville.....	3 14
14—St. Thomas' Sunday-school, Orange.....	41 67
St. Thomas' Church, Orange.....	16 04
Churches in King George, Rev. John McNabb	48 00
Knitting money from Mrs. Judith McGuire	5 00
Sunday-school, Grace Church, Alexandria.....	2 50
Miss Baker, Grub Hill.....	2 00
Miss Harriet Leary, Grub Hill.....	1 00
15—St. Paul's Church, Alexandria	26 25
Kingston Parish, Mathews.....	9 76
Rev. James Grammer from self	20 00
St. James', Montross.	2 29
St. James' Sunday-school, Montross.	5 79
Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	11 98
Christ Church Sunday-school, Lancaster county	20 52
Whittle Parish Sunday-school, Fauquier.....	35 00
Calvary Church, Front Royal.	6 70
Calvary Sunday-school, Front Royal.....	9 56
Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.....	513 09
Emmanuel Sunday-school, Henrico county..	43 08
Christ Church, Culpeper	23 63
Calvary, Culpeper	5 60
Cople Parish Sunday-school, Westmoreland.....	26 03
Woman's Miss. Society, St. Paul's, Alexandria.....	73 82
7—Christ Church, Charlottesville.....	46 50
Christ Church Sunday-school, Charlottesville.....	37 30
St. Paul's Church, Culpeper.....	10 00
St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Culpeper.....	12 16
9—St. Margaret's Church Sunday-school, Caroline.....	1 62
Grace Church, Richmond.....	36 19

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April 29—	St. Paul's, Richmond, additional.	
May 1—	St. Mary's, Goochland.....	
	Grace, Albemarle.....	
	Grace Sunday-school, Albemarle.....	
	Grace, Albemarle, Woman's Auxiliary, Special.....	
	Emmanuel, Harrisonburg.....	
	St. Paul's Sunday-school, Alexandria.....	
	St. Paul's Sunday-school, Alexandria, for Evangelist,	
	Abingdon Parish, Sunday-school, Gloucester.....	
	Ware Church, Gloucester.....	
	Ware Church Sunday-school, Gloucester.....	
	Ware Church (colored) Sunday-school, Gloucester..	
2—	Randolph Institute, Oakland.....	
	St. Peter's, Oak Grove.....	
	St. Peter's Sunday-school, Oak Grove.....	
	St. Peter's, Children's Missionary Society.....	
	St. Peter's, Ladies Aid Society.....	
	Grace Sunday-school, Bremo Bluff.....	
	St. John's Sunday-school, Columbia.....	
	"Pansy Club," Leed's Parish, Fauquier.....	
	Leed's Parish Sunday-school, Fauquier.....	
	St. Paul's Essex, children's collection.....	
	St. John's, Tappahannock.....	
	St. John's, Tappahannock, children's collection.....	
	Immanuel, King & Queen C. H.....	
	Buck Mt. Sunday-school, Charlottesville.....	
	Edgehill Chapel Sunday-school, Charlottesville.....	
	St. Luke's Sunday-school, Charlottesville.....	
	Grace Sunday-school, Berryville.....	
3—	Rev. E. Meade:	
	St. John's, West Point.....	\$ 8 89
	St. John's, West Point.....	11 50
	St. John's, Warsaw.....	6 89
	Emmanuel, Delaplane.....	4 52
	Christ Church Sunday-school, Millwood; Emmanuel	
	Chapel Sunday-school, Boyce.....	
	Grace, Caroline.....	
	C. W. S., Saluda.....	
	Christ Sunday-school, Alexandria.....	
4—	St. Paul's Sunday-school, Haymarket.....	
	St. James', Richmond.....	
	St. John's Sunday-school, West Point, additional....	

Diocesan Missions.

6—St. James' Church, Richmond	12	07
St. James' Sunday-school, Richmond.....	193	11
St. Peter's Sunday-school, New Kent.....	10	39
St. Luke's Chapel Sunday-school, Richmond	8	70
St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond.....		76
7—Church of the Epiphany, Barton Heights, Sunday-school.....	27	82
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Richmond, additional.....	2	42
8—St. Paul's, Albemarle.....	20	00
Emmanuel, Albemarle, additional.....		80
Trinity Sunday-school, Manassas.....	8	96
St. Paul's, Culpeper.....	1	63
Masters W. C. and G. B. Wickham, Hanover.. ..	4	20
St. James' Church Sunday-school, Montross, additional.....		32
9—St. John's, Richmond.....	100	20
St. John's Sunday-school.....	70	00
A. S. Edrington, Widewater.....		1 91
Christ Church, Albemarle	\$3	16
Miss M. V. Locke.....	3	00
St. John's Church.....	7	14
The Pleasant's children.....		60
A friend.....	1	00
		14 90
St. Timothy's, Herndon.....	\$5	09
St. Timothy's Sunday-school, Herndon...	9	34
Christ Church, Chantilly.....	2	83
Christ Sunday-school, Chantilly.....	4	93
Fall's.....	5	42
Fall's Sunday-school.....	17	66
		45 27
All Saints', Richmond.....	43	80
St. John's Warsaw.....	31	16
St. John's Sunday-school, Warsaw	17	23
Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.....	7	83
Grace and Trinity Churches, Fauquier.....	12	55
Grace and Trinity Churches Sunday-schools, Fauquier		5 00
10—Emmanuel Church Sunday-school, Henrico.....	7	27
Fork Church Sunday-school, Hanover.....	10	63
13—St. James' Church Sunday-school, Leesburg.....	25	00
Christ Christ Sunday-school, Alexandria, additional..		5 00
		\$9,946 93

Treasurer's Account.

DISBURSEMENTS.

As per accompanying account.....	7,504
Balance on hand this date.....	<u>\$2,442</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

1894.

May	7—Rev. J. C. Gray.....	\$12	4
	E. Valentine Jones.....	37	4
June	1— W. B. Williams.....	37	4
	2— J. H. Birkhead.....	\$40 45	
	do	22 05	
		—	62 4
	4— Carter Page.....	25	4
	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$125 00	
	Expenses.....	16 91	
		—	141 4
	5— J. F. Ribble.....	75	4
	14— W. B. Lee.....	37	4
	30— Preston G. Nash.....	75	4
	James Grammer.....	50	4
July	2— John McNabb.....	37	4
	W. W. Brander.....	25	4
	5— S. S. Hepburn.....	62	4
	J. R. Ellis.....	50	4
	A. C. Thomson.....	50	4
	6— E. Meade—Expenses.....	\$ 13 20	
	Salary.....	100 00	
		—	113 4
	Edward Valentine Jones.....	37	4
	10— T. M. Ambler.....	25	4
	W. C. Latané.....	75	4
	13— S. S. Ware.....	50	4
	17— W. B. Williams.....	31	2
	E. B. Burwell.....	43	7
	24—The Baughman Stationery Co.....	6	2
	25—Rev. J. Turner.....	10	0
	27— J. Hervey Hundley.....	37	50
	31— R. A. Castleman.....	37	50
	Thos. P. Baker.....	50	00

Diocesan Missions.

g.	1—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00	
		Expenses..	10 20	
				110 20
		W. B. Everett.....		31 25
		Stamped envelopes		1 09
	4—	Pike Powers.....		125 00
	6—	J. C. Gray.....		12 50
	13—	Chas. S. Harrison.....		37 50
		J. L. Hynes.....		62 50
	16—	W. B. Williams.....		25 00
		W. B. Williams.....		37 50
		M. Cowling.....		62 50
pt.	4—	E. Meade—Salary for October.	\$100 00	
		Expenses for September.	8 55	
				108 55
	6—	J. F. Ribble.....		75 00
	7—	D. C. T. Davis.....		37 50
	8—	J. H. Birckhead.....		62 50
	14—	Wm. B. Lee.....		37 50
	17—	Thos. Semmes.....		50 00
		Job Turner.....		40 00
	28—	Thos. Semmes.....		50 00
	29—	Carter Page.....		25 00
lct.	1—	W. W. Brander.....		25 00
		E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00	
		Expenses..	4 50	
				104 50
	2—	T. M. Ambler.....		25 00
		James Grammer.....		50 00
		John McNabb.....		37 50
		A. G. Grinnan.....		50 00
	3—	W. C. Latané.....		68 75
		W. B. Williams.....		31 25
		S. S. Hepburn.....		62 50
	4—	Edward Valentine Jones.....		37 50
		J. R. Ellis.....		50 00
		E. W. Cowling.....		65 50
	11—	J. Hervey Hundley.....		37 50
	13—	J. S. L. Hynes.....		62 50
		S. S. Ware.....		50 00
	16—	John D. LaMothe.....		37 50
	22—	E. Meade, for expenses.....		10 00
	24—	A. G. Grinnan.....		50 00

Treasurer's Account.

Oct.	24—	D. C. T. Davis.....	37 50
		A. C. Thomson.....	50 00
		E. B. Burwell.....	43 75
		Pike Powers.....	1 00
	29—	Preston G. Nash.....	75 00
Nov.	5—	Pike Powers.....	125 00
		Thos. P. Baker.....	20 00
		Chas. S. Harrison.....	37 50
	8—	R. A. Castleman.....	37 50
		E. Meade, for November ...	100 00
		W. B. Williams.....	25 00
		W. B. Williams, Assistant-Treasurer.....	37 50
	22—	A. B. Chinn.....	50 00
Dec.	4—	John S. Douglas.....	25 00
	6—	J. F. Ribble.....	75 00
	10—	E. Meade—Expenses.....	\$ 2 50
		Salary.....	100 00
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		Carter Page.....	102 50
		J. W. Birkhead, one check \$35, one check \$27 50.....	25 00
		D. C. T. Davis.....	62 50
	15—	J. C. Gray.....	37 50
	20—	S. S. Hepburn	12 50
	28—	Thos. Semmes.....	62 50
			50 00
1895.			
Jan.	2—	T. M. Ambler.....	25 00
		W. W. Brander.....	25 00
		A. C. Thomson.....	50 00
		John McNabb.....	37 50
		E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	12 87
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		W. B. Williams.....	112 87
		James Grammer.....	31 25
		Stamped envelopes.....	50 00
			1 10
	4—	Rev. Wm. B. Lee.....	37 50
		J. Hervey Hundley.....	37 50
	8—	Postal cards	17
	10—	Rev. E. B. Burwell.....	50 00
Jan.	11—	Printing blank receipts.....	\$ 1 00
		Rev. Edward Valentine Jones.....	31 25

Diocesan Missions.

y 11—	J. R. Ellis.....	50 00
	E. W. Cowling.....	62 50
14—	S. S. Ware.....	50 00
	Edward Valentine Jones, mistakes in remittance, January 11th, which should have been \$37 50..	6 25
16—	John D. LaMothe.....	37 50
18—	A. B. Chinn.....	50 00
	Check book.....	1 50
	Rev. J. T. L. Hynes.....	62 50
19—	W. C. Latané.....	68 75
	A. G. Grinnan.....	50 00
25—	R. H. Curtis.....	25 00
31—	J. C. Gray.....	12 50
	Preston Nash.....	75 00
1—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	7 80
		107 80
2—	W. B. Williams.....	25 00
	W. B. Williams, services as Treasurer.....	37 50
	R. A. Castleman.....	37 50
5—	Pike Powers.....	125 00
8—	C. S. Harrison.....	37 50
th 1—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	8 00
		108 00
	J. F. Ribble.....	75 00
	J. S. Douglas.....	25 00
2—	R. H. Curtis.....	69 10
6—	Wm. Ellis Jones, printing, &c.....	25 00
7—	Rev. J. H. Birkhead.....	62 50
	D. C. T. Davis.....	37 50
8—	Carter Page.....	25 00
25—	S. S. Hepburn.....	62 50
26—	W. B. Williams.....	31 25
l 1—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	17 55
		117 55
	W. W. Brander.....	25 00
	A. C. Thomson.....	50 00
2—	John McNabb.....	37 50
4—	J. R. Ellis.....	50 00
	E. W. Cowliug.....	62 50
5—	James Grammer.....	50 00

Treasurer's Account.			
Aprit	9—	Thos. Semmes.....	50 00
		T. M. Ambler.....	25 00
	15—	S. S. Ware.....	50 00
		A. B. Chinn ...	50 00
	17—	A. G. Grinnan.....	80 50
		John D. LaMothe.....	37 50
	18—	Wm. B. Lee.....	37 50
	22—	W. C. Latané.....	68 75
	24—	W. B. Williams.....	25 00
	26—	E. B. Burwell.....	50 00
	27—	J. T. L. Hynes.....	62 50
May	3—	Chas. S. Harrison.....	37 50
	3—	R. A. Castleman.....	37 50
		E. Meade—Salary for May.....	\$100 00
		Expenses	16 25
			116 25
	4—	Pike Powers.....	125 00
		J. Hervey Hundley.....	37 50
	6—	Preston Nash.....	75 00
	10—	J. C. Gray.....	12 50
			<u>\$7.504 54</u>

JOHN L. WILLIAMS,
Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Society.

Richmond, May 10, 1895.

*e Society for the Relief of Disabled Clergymen of the
Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia,
In account with WILLIAM H. PALMER, Treasurer.*

394.

y 11—Cash on hand last report, May 11, 1894..... \$2,197 75

RECEIPTS FROM THE CHURCHES.

y 16—Grace church, Goochland	1 89
7 6—Beckford Parish, J. T. L. Hynes.....	4 00
11—Christ church, Winchester.....	25 00
st. 4—Two communicants Grace church, Berryville, by J. W. Ware	2 00
Communicant by Rev. Pike Powers.....	50
t. —Rev. James Grammer.....	10 00
v. 6—J. C. Wills, Auburn, Ala.....	25
c. 24—St. Paul's, Hamilton.....	4 50
Mt. Calvary, Round Hill.....	1 21
26—St. James' church, Richmond.....	75 71
27—St. Paul's, Haymarket.....	13 50
Emmanuel church, Slaughter Parish....	14 46
St. George's church, Fredericksburg.....	30 00
Christ church, Ridley Parish.....	5 50
St. Andrew's, Richmond.....	10 00
28—Grace church, Fairfax Parish, Alexandria...	9 41
St. Paul's church, Culpeper.....	6 25
St. John's church, St. Anne's, Albemarle...	7 20
Grace church Memorial, Rockingham co....	19 25
31—St. James' church, Richmond, additional...	8 00
Washington Parish, Westmoreland.....	6 00
Trinity church, Fredericksburg.....	20 71
Abingdon Parish, Gloucester county, Va....	6 38

895.

y 1—Christ church, Gordonsville.....	2 74
St. James' church, Louisa.....	79
Christ church, Alexandria.....	53 34
Grace church, Berryville.....	26 47
Chapel of the Theological Seminary.....	33 47
4—St. James' church, Ashland.....	10 58
St. Paul's church, King George county....	2 57
St. John's church, Tappahannock.....	5 00
7—Buck Mountain church, Albemarle.....	4 10
8—St. James' church, Montross.....	1 48

Treasurer's Account.

Jan'y	8—St. John's church, Richmond.....	21 03
	C. P. Cochran, Middleburg, Va.....	2 75
	10—Grace and Whittle Parishes.....	15 00
	Christ church, Millwood, and Emmanuel	
	church, Boyce.....	22 26
	11—St. Luke's, Essex.....	2 00
	15—St. John's church, Warsaw.....	7 58
	16—St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county.....	1 00
	17—Pohick & Olivet churches, Truro Parish.....	6 00
	Grace church, Albemarle county.....	19 00
	24—Monumental church, Richmond.....	25 52
	31—St. Mark's, Richmond.....	11 22
Feb.	14—Grace church, Casenova.....	4 55
	1—St. Stephen's church, Cedar Run.....	2 50
	6—St. Paul's church, Alexandria.....	130 00
	15—Christ church, Charlottesville.....	43 42
	23—Kingston Parish, Mathews county.....	1 50
	Rev. James Grammer.....	10 00
	26—Hamilton Parish, Fauquier county.....	23 20
	27—Westover Parish.....	15 29
Mar.	8—Rev. C. Walker, Theo. Seminary.....	1 00
	13—J. H. C. Beverly, Treasurer, Lady of Vawter	
	Parish, St. Anne's Parish.....	1 00
	26—Leed's Parish, Fauquier.....	6 47
Ap'l	9—Grace church, Richmond.....	57 79
	10—St. Paul's church, Richmond.....	114 04
	16—St. John's church, Hanover Parish, King	
	George C. H.....	5 00
	20—Holy Trinity, Richmond.....	29 48
	Grace church, Caroline.....	1 12
	St. Peter's, Port Royal.....	2 79
	27—Christ church, Charlottesville.....	15 00
	29—All Saint's church, Richmond.....	67 73
	Amount received from the churches.....	\$1,087

\$3,285

DEBTOR.

1894.

July	6—Cash sent at the suggestion of Bishop Whittle	
	to Col. Arthur Herbert, Alexandria, the	
	contribution of this Diocese, to Rev. J. J.	
	McIlhinney at the Seminary.....	\$170 00
Dec.	24—Rev. T. E. Locke, Glendower, Albemarle...	100 00
	Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Rockingham,	100 00

 Disabled Clergymen.

Rev. J. T. B. Reed, Winchester.....	50 00
3—Rev. J. T. B. Reed, Winchester.....	200 00
5—Rev. T. E. Locke, Glendower, Albemarle..	300 00
Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Rockingham,	300 00

 \$1,220 00

Total amount paid out for the disabled clergy of the Diocese, which is in excess of the amount contributed by the churches, \$132.50

8—Cash paid J. C. Williams, Broker, for \$3,000 of Virginia Century Bonds—Registered in the name of the Trustees of the Funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia. Certificates No. 325, \$1,000; No. 326, \$1,000; No. 327, \$1,000, amounting \$3,000 @ .59½.....	1,773 75
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 Total disbursements..... \$2,993 75 \$2,993 75

 \$291 50

INVESTED FUNDS—RECEIPTS.

7—By this amount received of J. M. Ball, Treasurer, collections from securities in possession of the Virginia Trust Company:

4—Petersburg R. R. "A" bonds.....	\$100 00
Richmond & Danville bonds.....	180 00
Virginia 3's bonds.....	30 00
Georgia Pacific R. R. bonds.....	24 75
City of Richmond bonds.....	15 00
1—Petersburg R. R. "B" bonds.....	30 00
4—Interest on deferred payment R. & D. R. R.	3 15

3—Petersburg R. R. "A" bonds.....	100 00
Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds.....	120 00
Georgia Pacific R. R. bonds.....	25 00
City of Richmond bonds.....	15 00
Sale of a fraction of Georgia Pacific R. R. stock received for interest.....	17 19
1—Interest on Petersburg R. R. "B" bonds....	30 00

 690 09

Treasurer's Account.

Amounts forward.....	690 09	291 50
April 1—Less this amount deducted. The proportion apportioned by the Committee to the Disabled Clergy Fund of the amount paid the Virginia Trust Company for taking care of the securities.....	25 00	
1894.	665 09	
June 30—By cash received from the City Bank, interest allowed on the cash on hand.....	31 26	
1895.		
Jan'y 1—By cash from the City Bank, interest allowed on the cash on hand.....	32 86	
Total receipts from the invested funds.....	729 21	729 21
Balance cash on deposit in City Bank.....		<u>\$1,020 71</u>

ASSETS OF THE SOCIETY, MAY 1, 1895.

On deposit with the Virginia Trust Company.

3,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds.....	\$3,240 00
1,000 Georgia Pacific R. R. 1st Mortgage bonds.....	900 00
1,000 Petersburg R. R. "B" bonds.....	1,090 00
2,000 State of Virginia 3's bonds.....	1,350 00
500 Richmond City Registered 6's bonds.....	550 00
4,000 Petersburg R. R. "A" bonds.....	4,240 00
3,000 State of Virginia Century bonds.....	1,773 75
Cash balance in City Bank, May 1, 1895.....	1,020 71
	<u>\$14,164 46</u>

Respectfully submitted,

E. & O. E.

WILLIAM H. PALMER, *Treasurer.*

*ty for the Relief of the Widows and Orphans of
Deceased Clergymen of the Diocese of Virginia,
in account with E. B. ADDISON, Treasurer.*

-By cash due the Society this date as per last report.	\$1,828 02
By cash, contributions, etc., as follows:	
- St. James' church, Leesburg	13 50
- Bedford Parish.	2 00
Christ church, Winchester.	50 00
R. & D. R. R., January, 1894, coupons, 4 at \$30.	120 00
Interest on same to July, 1894.	3 60
- Christ church, Millwood.	13 35
Grace church, Berryville.	2 00
St. Peter's church, Port Royal	2 17
Grace church, Caroline county.	1 30
Trinity church, Mathews county.	91
Christ church, Mathews county	4 09
- Rev. James Grammer, Mathews C. H.	10 00
Christ church, Alexandria.	14 80
- Leed's Parish, Fauquier county.	7 00
St. John's church, Richmond	21 00
Mrs. J. C. Wills, Auburn, W. Va.	25
- Grace church, Alexandria.	4 77
Mrs. S. E. Early, Madison county	2 00
- St. George's church, Fredericksburg.	40 00
Emmanuel church, Henrico county.	378 84
- St. James' church, Ashland.	10 57
Christ church, Winchester.	37 10
Wickliffe church, Clarke county.	5 60
St. Paul's church, Woodville	3 00
All Saints' Memorial Chapel, Culpeper.	3 00
Emmanuel church, Piedmont Parish.	2 38
Emmanuel church, Hanover county.	2 12
- St. Luke's church, Essex county.	2 00
Monumental church, Richmond.	25 52
Grace church, Albemarle county.	8 00
St. James' church, Leesburg.	36 41
Zion church, Fairfax C. H.	8 83
Trinity church, Manassas	1 88
- Christ church, Lancaster county.	6 25
R. & D. R. R., July, 1894, coupons, 4 at \$30.	120 00
Interest on same to January 1st.	56

Treasurer's Account.

Feb. 4—	Fall's church, Fairfax county.....	3	57
	Christ church, Chantilly.....	2	11
	St. Timothy's church, Herndon.....	1	91
	St. Martin's church, Hanover county.....	5	50
March 9—	Trinity church, Fredericksburg.....	7	06
	St. Peter's church, Washington Parish.....	3	25
	"A Friend," through Rev. H. Suter.....	5	00
	St. Paul's church, Richmond.....	64	00
	St. Timothy's church, Orange.....	14	93
	St. Andrew's church, Richmond.....	9	00
22—	Christ church, Alexandria.....	28	00
April 8—	Grace church, Richmond.....	22	49
	Whittle Parish, Fauquier county.....	10	00
	Westover Parish, Charles City county.....	8	11
	Theological Seminary Chapel, Alexandria.....	25	80
	Grace church, Berryville.....	20	17
	Amount received from J. M. Ball, Treasurer dividend on bonds, &c.....	536	00
23—	St. James' church, Richmond.....	81	52
29—	St. Paul's church, Culpeper county.....	5	00
	All Saints' church, Richmond.....	67	74
1894.			
	Christ church, Charlottesville.....	31	00
Dec. 31—	Interest on deposits in the City Bank to date.....	21	79
1895.			
April 30—	Interest on same to date.....	8	67

\$3,775 44

DISBURSEMENTS.

1894.		
May 31—	To amounts paid out as follows, first half of appropriation for the year 1894 and 1895:	
	Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	\$ 75 00
	Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	100 00
	Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe.....	100 00
	Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.....	62 50
	Mrs. W. H. Pendleton.....	62 50
	Mrs. J. P. McGuire.....	62 50
	Mrs. M. B. Ward.....	62 50
	Mrs. E. B. McGuire.....	30 00
	Mrs. J. C. Hobson.....	100 00
	Mrs. Philip Slaughter.....	50 00

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

31—	Mrs. W. H. Stringfellow	62 50
	Miss Mina Dashiell.....	100 00
8—	Cash paid part of rent of safety box.....	2 50
1—	Second one-half of appropriation as follows:	
	Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	100 00
	Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe.....	100 00
	Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.....	62 50
	Mrs. W. H. Pendleton.....	62 50
	Mrs. John P. McGuire.....	62 50
	Mrs. M. B. Ward.....	62 50
	Mrs. E. B. McGuire.....	30 00
	Mrs. J. C. Hobson.....	100 00
	Mrs. Philip Slaughter.....	50 00
	Mrs. W. H. Stringfellow.....	62 50
	Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	75 00
	Miss Mina Dashiell.....	100 00
	Balance on hand as per the City Bank pass-book...	2,037 94
		<u>\$3,775 44</u>

ASSETS MAY 1ST, 1895.

in bank.....	\$2,037 94
sburg R. R. class "B" bonds	4,000 00
D. R. R. gold bonds.....	4,000 00
Iron and Steel Co. 1st mortgage bonds.....	1,000 00
, Col. & Aug. R. R. 2d mortgage bonds.....	1,000 00
of Richmond 6% bonds.....	600 00
	<u>\$12,637 94</u>

& O. E., May 1st, 1895.

E. B. ADDISON, *Treasurer.*

Report of JAMES M. BALL, Treasurer Bruce Fund.

1894.		CR.	
Sep.	24—By check Joseph Bryan, Chairman	\$89	26
	By Randolph-Macon College coupons.	60	00
Oct.	1—By Petersburg R. R. coupons.	60	00
1895.			
Jan'y	3—By dividend City Bank stock.	6	00
	By interest City of Richmond.	10	00
	By interest Southside R. R.	15	00
	By Virginia State Ag'l and M. Society.	30	00
Feb.	1—By Randolph-Macon College coupons.	60	00
April	1—By Petersburg R. R. coupons.	60	00
	3—By Atlanta and C. R. R. income bond.	30	00
		\$420	26
1894.		DR.	
Nov.	28—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. J. R. Ellis.	200	00
1895.			
Mar.	12—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. J. D. LaMothe.	50	00
	To Virginia Trust Company (charge for care of securities)	25	00
	To balance.	145	26
		\$420	26
May	1—By balance in Virginia Trust Company.	\$145	26
BONDS DEPOSITED WITH THE VIRGINIA TRUST COMPANY.			
Cash for investment.		40	00
Petersburg R. R. bonds, class "B".		2,000	00
Atlanta and C. R. R. income bond.		500	00
Southside R. R.		500	00
Virginia State Ag'l and M. Society		1,000	00
Randolph-Macon College		2,000	00
City of Richmond		400	00
City Bank of Richmond.		200	00
		\$6,640	00
Note in hands of Joseph Bryan for collection, Marshall Manufacturing Company.		\$2,850	00
Secured by stock of the Virginia State Insurance Company.			

Report of JAMES M. BALL, Acting Treasurer of the Episcopal Fund.

894.		
At 4—	By Va. Mid. R. R. coupons.....	\$ 34 00
5—	Check J. T. Burke, Treasurer.....	187 91
895.		
3—	Interest Charlottesville and Rapidan bonds.....	60 00
	Interest Va. 3% bonds.....	15 00
	Interest city of Alexandria.....	29 19
Arch 1—	Va. Mid. R. R. coupons.....	34 00
April 18—	To Virginia Trust Co. (ch'g for care of securities)	\$ 25 00
	Balance cash on deposit in Va. Trust Co....	335 10
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		\$360 10 \$360 10

895.		
1—	Balance cash on deposit in Virginia Trust Co.....	\$335 10

bonds deposited with the Virginia Trust Company:

Midland R. R. 2d series 6%	\$200 00
Midland R. R. 3d series 6%	100 00
Midland R. R. 5th series 5%	1,000 00
Charlottesville and Rapidan 1st mortgage 6%	2,000 00
City of Alexandria	1,600 00
Virginia 3% bonds.	1,000 00
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	\$5,900 00

THE CONTINGENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,

in account with JAMES T. GRAY, Treasurer

1894.		
May 15—	By balance on hand and in City Bank of Richmond, Va.	\$33 00
June 21—	Amounts received subsequent to May 15, 1894.	7,11 00
	Amounts received from June 20, 1894, to May 13, 1895, and subsequent to publication of Journal:	
	Rev. B. D. Tucker, amount returned by him.	\$41 87
	Rev. J. H. Birkhead, Stafford C. H. . . .	1 00
	Prince William, Haymarket, St. Paul's, . . .	13 00
	Frederick, St. Thomas', St. Thomas'.. . .	13 00
	Spotsylvania, Christ Church.	1 00
	P. H. Baskervill, Treasurer Episcopal Fund.	15 89
	W. E. Jones, sales of 2 Digests.	2 00
	James T. Gray, 6% interest on loan \$1,500 from May 12, 1893, to May 12, 1895.	180 00
1895.		
May 13—	Interest at 4% on deposits at City Bank of Richmond.	59 44
		<u>327</u>
		\$7,775
1894.		
May 17—	To Rev. S. A. Wallis, on acc't of salary.	\$20 00
	Rev. S. A. Wallis, expenses.	5 00
		<u>\$25 00</u>
21—	Rev. Everard Meade, on acc't of salary	100 00
	Rev. W. C. Latané, in full of salary.	25 00
	Bishop John B. Newton, on acco't of salary.	50 00
22—	Baughman Stationery Company.	2 50
24—	Rev. Everard Meade, expenses.	10 00
31—	Wm. Ellis Jones, on acc't of Journal. . .	200 00

Contingent Fund.

e 1—	Bishop John B. Newton, on acco't of salary.....	100 00	
2—	R. S. Chamberlayne, for services to Treasurer.....	50 00	
5—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to June 16.....	100 00	
6—	Sexton for services at Council.....	15 00	
	Rev. W. M. Clark, salary for six months.....	\$50 00	
	Rev. W. M. Clark, expenses,	5 00	
		55 00	
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to July 16,	250 00	
22—	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses.....	17 36	
13—	Wm. Ellis Jones, in full for Journals..	\$163 00	
	Wm. Ellis Jones, in full for expressage &c.....	50 00	
		213 00	
	Bishop H. M. Jackson, expenses to consecration of Bishop Newton.....	20 00	
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to August 16	250 00	
26—	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date.....	11 32	
1—	Bishop Thomas U. Dudley, expenses to consecration of Bishop Newton.....	50 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary first quarter.....	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses.....	32 45	
		782 45	
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to September 16 ...	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses.....	15 25	
		265 25	
4—	Rev. Everard Meade on account of salary.....	50 00	
17—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to Oct. 16.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses.....	10 70	
		260 70	

Treasurer's Account.

Oct.	5—	Rev. R. A. Goodwin, salary Oct. 1, 1893, to Oct. 1, 1894,	\$100 00	
		Rev. R. A. Goodwin, ex- penses.....	8 23	
			<hr/>	108 23
		Rev. S. A. Wallis, salary to October 1, 1894.....	\$30 00	
		Rev. S. A. Wallis, expenses,	4 00	
			<hr/>	34 00
	16—	Bishop John B. Newton, sal- ary to Nov. 16.....	\$250 00	
	19—	Bishop John B. Newton, ex- penses.....	35 16	
			<hr/>	285 16
Nov.	2—	D. A. O'Donnell, bill for plumbing at Bishop's residence.....		31 75
	3—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary second quarter.....	\$750 00	
		Bishop F. M. Whittle, ex- penses	5 75	
			<hr/>	755 75
	16—	Bishop John B. Newton, sal- ary to Dec. 16.....	\$250 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, ex- penses	15 00	
			<hr/>	265 00
	20—	Rev. Everard Meade, in full of salary..		50 00
	28—	Rev. W. M. Clarke, salary in full.....	\$50 00	
		Rev. W. M. Clarke, expenses,	6 00	
			<hr/>	56 00
Dec.	18—	Bishop John B. Newton sal- ary to Jan. 16, 1895.....	\$250 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, ex- penses.....	18 55	
			<hr/>	268 55
1895.				
Jany.	8—	Robert Bell & Son, bill for printing....		18 15
	16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to Febru- ary 16.....		250 00
	29—	Wm. Ellis Jones, bill for printing.....		5 00
Feb.	2—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary for third quarter.....	\$750 00	

Contingent Fund.

2—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, ex-		
	penses.....	6 00	
			756 00
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to March		
	16, 1895.....		250 00
h 16—	Bishop John B. Newton, sal-		
	ary to April 16.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, ex-		
	penses	11 20	
			261 20
til 16—	Bishop John B. Newton, sal-		
	ary to May 16.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, ex-		
	penses	17 50	
			267 50
10—	Wm. Ellis Jones, bill for printing		2 00
24—	D. N. Walker & Co., insurance on Bish-		
	op's residence.....		56 24
y 6—	Rev. John K. Mason, expenses attend-		
	ing Committee on Virginia Female		
	Institute.....		7 50
7—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, fourth		
	quarter's salary.....	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, ex-		
	penses	23 65	
			773 65
9—	Hunter & Co., bill of stationery.....		5 90
12—	Cash for stamps, postal cards, stationery,		
	&c., for the year.....	4 25	
			7,414 81
	By balance on hand in City Bank.....		\$361 57

MEMORANDUM.

1	balance in City Bank of Richmond, Va	\$ 361 57
	loan to James T. Gray.	1,500 00
	by estate W. R. Quarles.	125 00
		<u>\$1,986 57</u>

Just receipt of Drexel, Morgan & Co., \$5,000 Georgia Pacific Railroad
ds.

E. & O. E.

JAMES T. GRAY,

Treasurer.

13, 1895.

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1895.

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1895.

COUNTIES.		PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency this year.
Albemarle	Fredericksville	Buck Mountain	28	\$16 50	\$11 50	
"	"	Edge Hill Chapel	16	16 00		
"	"	St. Paul's	95	35 40	59 60	
"	"	St. John the Baptist Chapel	350	350 00		
"	"	Christ		3 00		
"	"	St. Luke's	29	29 00		
"	Greenwood	Emmanuel	108	74 00	34 00	
"	Walker's	Grace	21	6 00	15 00	
"	St. Anne's	Christ	32	17 50	14 50	
Alexandria	Fairfax	St. John's	254	254 00		
"	"	Christ	269	269 00		
"	"	St. Paul's	139	71 73	67 27	
"	"	Grace				
Caroline	Drysdale	Meade Chapel (Colored)		10 00		
"	St. Mary's	St. Margaret's Chapel	52	37 25	14 75	
"	"	St. Peter's	32	22 00	10 00	
Charles City	Westover	Grace				
"	"	Mapsico				
"	"	Westover	63	53 00	10 00	
Clarke	Cunningham Chapel	Grace				
"	"	Christ	183	78 75	104 25	
"	"	Emmanuel Chapel				
"	Clarke	Old Chapel				
		Grace		145 00	48 00	

Treasurer's Account.

				Contingent Fund.			
Culpeper	Greenway Court	Meade Memorial	28	18 00	10 00		
"	St. Mark's	St. Stephen's	102	102 00			
"	"	Little Fork			12 00		
"	Ridley	Christ	55	43 00	5 00		
"	"	St. Paul's	45	40 00	8 00		
"	Calvary	Emmanuel	52	52 00	9 00		
"	Slaughter	All Saint's	25	16 00	27 00		
Essex	St. Anne's	Vawter's	50	23 00	36 00		
"	"	St. Matthew's	76	40 00	8 00		
"	South Farnham	St. Paul's	29	21 00	24 00		
"	"	St. John's	72	48 00	6 50		
"	"	St. Luke's	5	39 00	30 00		
Fairfax	Truro	Zion	22	9 00	13 00		
"	"	The Good Shepherd	31	22 00	9 00		
"	"	Pohick	46	35 50	10 50		
"	Olivet	Christ	56	31 00	25 00		
"	Upper Truro	St. John's	43	18 00	25 00		
"	"	St. Timothy's	24	9 00	15 00		
"	Fairfax	Falls	26	12 75	13 25		
"	"	St. John's, Langley					
"	"	Theo. Seminary Chapel					
"	"	Trinity Chapel, Arlington					
"	"	St. Paul's Chapel					
"	"	The Good Shepherd (Colored)					
"	"	St. John's, West End	35	14 00	11 00		
Fauquier	Hamilton	St. James	146	100 00	46 00		
"	"	Chapel (Baldwin's Ridge)					
"	Cedar Run	St. Stephen's		9 00			
"	Leed's	Leed's	72				
"	"	Bethel Mission	5	59 00	21 00		
"	"	South River Mission	3				
"	Meade	Trinity	50	50 00			
"	Whittle	Church of Our Saviour	25	19 00	6 00		

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COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency this year.
Fauquier	Whittle	Trinity.....	102	102 00	...
"	"	Grace.....			...
"	"	Whittle Chapel.....			...
"	Piedmont	Emmanuel.....	20	10 00	10 00
"	Emmanuel.	Grace.....	51	39 00	12 00
"	"	St. Luke's.....	42	20 00	22 00
Fluvanna	Rivanna.....	St. John's.....		21 00	...
"	"	Grace.....		9 00	...
Frederick	Frederick.....	Christ.....	220	220 00	...
"	St. Thomas'	St. Thomas'.....			...
Gloucester.	Abingdon.....	Abingdon.....	67	28 00	39 00
"	"	Holy Innocents' Chapel.....		38 00	...
"	Ware.....	Ware.....			...
Goochland.	St. James' Northam.....	St. Paul's.....			...
"	"	All Saints.....	15	14 50	50
"	"	Grace.....		5 00	...
"	"	St. Mary's.....		12 00	...
Hanover	St. Martin's.....	Fork.....			...
"	"	St. Martin's.....	100	41 00	59 00
"	"	Trinity.....			...
"	"	Church of Our Saviour.....			...
"	St. Paul's.....	Emmanuel.....	27	19 00	8 00
"	"	St. Paul's.....	27	27 00	...
"	Ashland.....	St. James'.....		46 00	...

Contingent Fund.					
"	St. Paul's	473	473 00	.....	.....
"	St. Andrew's	.....	94 62	.....	.....
"	St. James'	428	428 00	.....	.....
"	Christ	.....	44 04	.....	.....
"	Grace	295	295 00	.....	.....
"	St. Mark's	.....	68 50	.....	.....
"	Church of the Holy Trinity	231	231 00	.....	.....
"	All Saints	300	300 00	.....	.....
"	Emmanuel	.....	137 50	.....	.....
"	St. Phillip's (Colored)	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	St. Luke's	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	Chapel at Barton Heights	.....	.....	.....	.....
King George	St. Paul's	.....	38 00	.....	.....
"	Hanover	.....	.....	.....	.....
"
"
Brunswick	St. John's	72	45 00	27 00	.....
.....	Emmanuel	.....	.....	.....	.....
King & Queen	Lamb's Creek	8	2 00	6 00	.....
King William	Immanuel Chapel	6	5 00	1 00	.....
.....	St. David's	28	28 00	.....	.....
Lancaster	St. John's	45	33 00	12 00	.....
.....	Christ Church	.....	.....	.....	.....
"
"	White Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	Grace	110	40 25	69 75	.....
"	Trinity	.....	.....	.....	.....
Loudoun	St. Paul's	51	35 00	16 00	.....
"	Mount Calvary	.....	4 00	.....	.....
"	Christ	21	21 00	.....	.....
"	St. James	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	Belmont Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	Church of Our Saviour	.....	160 00	.....	.....
"	Emmanuel	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	Church of The Redeemer	57	59 00
"	St. John's and Chapel	24	9 35	14 65
Louisa	Green Spring

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		Treasurer's Account.			
COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency this year.
Louisa	Trinity	St. James'	34	19 50	14 50
Madison	Bronfield	Piedmont	6	6 00	.....
Mathews	Kingston's	Christ	53	44 50	8 50
"	"	Trinity		21 00	.....
Middlesex	Christ Church	Christ	33	11 00	.....
New Kent	St. Peter's	St. Peter's		8 00	25 00
Northumberland	Wicomico	Wicomico		100 00	.....
"	St. Stephen's	St. Stephen's		55 00	15 00
Orange	St. Thomas'	St. Thomas'	70	.....	.....
"	"	Christ .....		.....	.....
Page	"	St. Paul's Chapel (Colored)	22	12 00	10 00
Prince William	Luray	Christ		26 00	39 00
"	Dettingen	Calvary	65	.....	.....
"	"	St. James'		113 77	40 23
"	"	Trinity	154	.....	.....
"	Haymarket	Quantico		22 00	6 00
"	"	St. Paul's		30 00	14 00
"	"	Grace Chapel		31 00	.....
Rappahannock	Bloomfield	St. Paul's	44	32 00	.....
"	"	Trinity		27 00	36 00
Richmond	Lunenburg	St. John's	31	15 00	15 00
"	N. Farnham	Emmanuel
Rockingham	Rockingham	Grace Memorial	30
"	"	"

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PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

ALBEMARLE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH AND MISSIONS, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Mr. J. M. Garnett, Treasurer—P. O., Charlottesville.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 9, total 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 386, added white 25 (of which by transfer 25), total 411; removed 49, withdrawn 1, died 11, total 61; present number 350. Marriages: white 11. Funerals: white 21. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 16, scholars 140, total 156. Contributions, \$160. Number of catechisings, several. Members of the Brotherhood, 34.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$2,315 33
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	3,449 08
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$37.30 from mite boxes), . . .	104 15
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	30 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	31 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	58 42
Brotherhood, . . .	73 88
Protestant Episcopal Church home, . . .	25 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	301 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	230 68
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	200 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	93 09
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	16 00
Other general objects, . . .	120 78
Total, . . .	\$7,048 41

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 ST. LUKE'S CHAPEL, MISSION OF CHRIST CHURCH,
 CHARLOTTESVILLE.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Rev. A. G. GRINNAN, minister in charge.

 Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: white 12. Sunday-
 schools: white, scholars 55, teachers 7, total 62.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses including salary,	\$47 42
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	82 88
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (mite boxes),	2 34
General—Foreign Missions,	88
Total,	<u>\$133 52</u>

 DUNGEHILL MEMORIAL CHAPEL, MISSION OF CHRIST CHURCH,
 CHARLOTTESVILLE.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Rev. A. G. GRINNAN, minister in charge

 Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Number of
 communicants: white 16. Sunday-schools: white, scholars 85,
 teachers 8, total 93.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$50 62
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	90 26
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (mite boxes),	4 54
General—Foreign Missions,	88
Total,	<u>\$146 30</u>

BUCK MOUNTAIN CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. A. G. GRINNAN, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

J. W. Huff, Treasurer—P. O., Earlysville.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 1. Communi-

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cants: formerly reported white 27, added 1, total 28. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$86 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	15 70
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$6.86 from mite boxes), . . .	6 86
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	4 81
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	11 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	1 02
Total, . . .	<u>\$129 49</u>

 ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, WITH ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

J. Greaves, Treasurer—P. O., Ivy Depot.

Baptisms: adults white 1; infants white 8, colored 1, total 9; aggregate 10. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 91, added white 16 (of which by transfer 3), total 107; removed 5, withdrawn 7, total 12; present number 95. Marriages white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$10.35. Numbers of scholars confirmed 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$285 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	200 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$9.81 from mite boxes), . . .	14 81
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	4 34
Disabled Clergy, . . .	8 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	36 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	15 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	14 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$577 90</u>

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EMMANUEL CHURCH, GREENWOOD PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

R. W. Kyle, Treasurer—P. O., Greenwood.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communi-
cants: formerly reported white 32, added white 2, total 34; removed
present number 29.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$221 56
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (80 cents from mite boxes),	5 80
Diocesan Education Society,	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	3 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	32 00
General—Missions,	4 50
Total,	<hr/> \$272 36

GRACE CHURCH, WALKER'S PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont.

W. E. Money, Treasurer—P. O., Cismont.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Confirmations: white 8. Communi-
cants: formerly reported white 104, colored 1, total 105; added
19 (of which by transfer 1), aggregate 124; removed 5; present
number 109. Marriages: white 3, colored 1 total 4. Funerals:
14. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 90, total 100;
colored, teachers 2, scholars 50, total 52. Contributions, \$15.
Number of catechisings, 15. Number of scholars confirmed 6.
Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 5. Members of the
Woman's Auxiliary, 33.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$620 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	325 00

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$34.36 from mite boxes),	85 28
Diocesan Education Society,	20 88
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	8 00
Disabled Clergy,	19 00
Brotherhood,	4 40
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	72 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	132 00
Domestic Missions,	8 50
Virginia Bible Society,	8 00
Other general objects,	30 43
Total,	<u>\$1,358 99</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS E. LOCKE, Rector.

Post-office—Glendower.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 5 (of which by transfer 1), total 23; died 2; present number 21. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$289 96
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	15 74
Diocesan Education Society,	8 30
Brotherhood,	2 86
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	5 05
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	14 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	10 00
General—Foreign Missions,	12 26
Other general objects,	5 30
Total,	<u>\$363 47</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS E. LOCKE, Rector.

Post-office—Glendower.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Confirmations: 1. Communicants:

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erly reported white 27, added white 6 (of which by transfer 3),
 l 33; died 2; present number 31. Marriages: white 1. Fune-
 : white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$100 06
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	10 81
Disabled Clergy,	.	7 20
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	50 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	10 50
eral—Domestic Missions,	.	3 00
Total,	.	\$181 86

ALEXANDRIA COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. HENDERSON SUTER, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

G. William Ramsay, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 12, total 17. Confirma-
 ns: white 21. Communicants: formerly reported white 240,
 led white 29 (of which by transfer 8), total 269; removed 9, died
 total 15; present number 254. Marriages: white 4. Funerals:
 ite 22. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 19, scholars 223, total
 . Contributions, \$227.82. Number of catechisings, 10. Num-
 of scholars confirmed, 9. Members of the Brotherhood, 12.
 mbers of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 25. Members of the
 man's Auxiliary, 60.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$2,375 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	660 00
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$124.28 from	.	
mite boxes),	.	291 86
Diocesan Education Society,	.	75 33
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	48 90
Disabled Clergy,	.	52 34
Brotherhood,	.	26 40
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	240 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	29 77

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General—Missions,	.	.	.	26 56
Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	227 55
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	197 57
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.	21 46
Other general objects,	.	.	.	1,800 15
Total				<u>\$6,072 89</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. P. P. PHILLIPS, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

J. R. Zimmerman, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 13, total 15. Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: formerly reported white 269, added white 17 (of which by transfer 6), total 286; removed 13, died 4, total 17; present number 269. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 18. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 29, scholars 232, total 261. Contributions, \$186.48. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of the Brotherhood, 22. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 23.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$2,992 56
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	1,032 84
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$78.24 from mite boxes),	.	288 62
Diocesan Education Society,	.	125 00
Disabled Clergy	.	130 00
Brotherhood,	.	48 40
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	20 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	269 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	55 40
General—Missions,	.	45 40
Foreign Missions,	.	50 00
Domestic Missions,	.	18 50
Other General objects,	.	1,607 20
Total,		
		<u>\$6,683 08</u>

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GRACE CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. CLARENCE ERNEST BALL, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

D. E. Webster, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 20, total 21. Communi-
cations: formerly reported white 125, added white 28 (of which by
transfer 5), total 153; removed 9, died 5, total 14; present number
140. Funerals: white 25, colored 2, total 27. Sunday-schools 2;
teachers 24, scholars 180, total 204. Contributions, \$77.11.
Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 25. Members of the
man's Auxiliary, 25.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,514 98
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,222 45
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$4.61 from mite boxes),	13 11
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 77
Disabled Clergy,	9 41
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	73 25
General—Missions,	23 80
Foreign Missions,	1 34
Domestic Missions,	60 00
Other general objects,	7 55
Total,	\$3,930 66

CAROLINE COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

Wm. T. Pratt, Treasurer—P. O., Port Royal.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 4. Communi-
cations: formerly reported white 52, added white 2, total 54; died 2;
present number 52. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2, colored
total 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$230	00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	6	50
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	25	00
Diocesan Education Society, .	7	36
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	2	17
Disabled Clergy, .	2	79
Protestant Episcopal Church home, .	2	87
General—Other general objects, .	10	00
Total, .	\$286	69

GRACE CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE. Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

Dr. C. B. Morton, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: infants white 4. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 33, added white 2, total 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$170	00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, .	13	69
Diocesan Education Society, .	5	42
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	1	30
Disabled Clergy, .	1	12
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	25	00
Total, .	\$216	53

ST. MARGARET'S CHAPEL, DRYSDALE PARISH.

Rev. W. B. WILLIAMS, minister in charge.

Post-office—Richmond.

James Hunter, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Ruther Glen.

Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 14, added white 6, total 20. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$26 47
cesan—Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	10 00
Total,	.	<hr/> \$36 47

CHARLES CITY COUNTY.

WESTOVER, GRACE AND MAPSICO CHURCHES, WESTOVER PARISH.

Rev. JNO. C. CORNICK, Rector.

Post-office—Westover.

John A. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Westover.

baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: te 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 61, added white total 72; removed 8; present number 64. Marriages: white 1. erals: white 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 11.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$704 12
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	120 39
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	53 11
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	8 11
Disabled Clergy,	.	15 29
Brotherhood,	.	11 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	5 50
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	61 00
eral—Missions,	.	19 00
Foreign Missions,	.	111 25
Domestic Missions,	.	7 00
Other general objects,	.	4 25
Total,	.	<hr/> \$1,120 02

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CLARKE COUNTY.

OLD CHAPEL, CHRIST AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, CUNNINGHAM
CHAPEL PARISH.

Rev. JOHN P. TYLER, Rector.

Post-office—Millwood.

Thos. M. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Boyce.

Baptisms: adults white 3, colored 14, total 17; infants white 12, colored 20, total 32; aggregate 49. Confirmations: white 12, colored 7, total 19. Communicants: formerly reported white 177, added white 12, colored 7, total 19, aggregate 196; removed 5, died 1, total 6; present number 190. Marriages: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 19, scholars 166, total 185; colored, teachers 7, scholars 90, total 97. Contributions, \$60.20. Number of catechisings, 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 3. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$969 36
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	299 76
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$32.67 from mite boxes), .	82 67
Diocesan Education Society, .	58 68
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	13 35
Disabled Clergy, .	22 66
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	25 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	90 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	27 23
General—Foreign Missions, .	81 00
Domestic Missions, .	128 28
Other general objects, .	26 00
Total, .	<u>\$1,817 99</u>

GRACE CHURCH, CLARKE PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD WALL, Rector.

Post-office—Berryville.

R. R. Smith, Treasurer—P. O., Berryville.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 2, total 7. Confirmations:

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14. Communicants: formerly reported white 179, added 25 (of which by transfer 4), total 204; removed 8, died 3, 11; present number, 193. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: 8. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 12, scholars 85, total 97. Contributions, \$60.14. Number of catechisings, monthly. Num-
bers confirmed, 7. Members of the Brotherhood, 7. Mem-
bers of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,379 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	708 37
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$43.01 from contribution boxes),	72 19
Diocesan Education Society,	11 80
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	20 17
Disabled Clergy,	26 47
Brotherhood,	11 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	61 75
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	116 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	46 00
Parochial—Foreign Missions,	10 91
Domestic Missions,	28 59
Total,	\$2,492 50

WICKLIFFE CHURCH, WICKLIFFE PARISH.

Rev. P. D. THOMPSON, Rector.

Post-office—Wickliffe.

W. O. Norris, Treasurer—P. O., Myerstown, W. Va.

Communicants: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported
white 45, added white 2 (of which by transfer 2), total 47; present
number 47. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-
schools: white teachers 6, scholars 25, total 31. Contributions:
Members of the Brotherhood, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$435 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	119 60

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$20 from	
Mite Boxes),	30 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 60
Brotherhood,	13 20
Contingent Fund paid last year,	31 00
General—Domestic Missions,	5 00
Other General Objects,	18 00
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Total,	\$657 40

 MEADE MEMORIAL CHURCH, GREENWAY COURT PARISH.

(Vacant.)

David Meade, Treasurer—P. O., White Post.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 3 (of which by transfer 2), total 28. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$140 55
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	80 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	19 42
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	15 00
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Total,	\$254 97

 CULPEPER COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, ST. MARK'S PARISH.

Rev. E. L. GOODWIN, Rector.

Post-office—Culpeper.

R. C. Vass, Treasurer—P. O., Culpeper.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 7, total 11. Confirmations: white 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 97, colored 1, total 98; added white 13 (of which by transfer 4), aggregate 111; removed 5, died 3, total 8; present number 103. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6,

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olars 30, total 36. Contributions, \$23.50. Number of catechists, now weekly. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$383 30
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	308 76
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$13.20 from	
mite boxes),	67 92
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	98 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	3 85
neral—Other general objects,	1 61
Total,	<u>\$863 44</u>

 CHRIST CHURCH, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

C. T. Fowler, Treasurer—P. O., Brandy Station.

baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 9. Communi-
ts: formerly reported white 46, added white 9, total 55. Fune-
: white 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 35, total
Contributions, \$12.00. Number of catechisings, several.
nber of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of the Woman's Aux-
y. 25.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$277 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	115 00
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$13.63 from	
mite boxes),	28 63
Disabled Clergy,	3 55
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	43 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	10 00
eral—Foreign Missions,	18 00
Domestic Missions,	8 00
Total,	<u>\$503 18</u>

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ST. PAUL'S AND CALVARY CHURCHES, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

G. B. W. Nalle, Treasurer—P. O., Raccoon Ford. .

Baptisms: adults white 6. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 40, added white 8, total 48. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Number of catechisings, several. Number of scholars confirmed, 4. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$357 17
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	178 50
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$16.59 from mite boxes), . . .	39 39
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	10 00
Widows' and Orphan's Fund, . . .	5 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	6 25
Brotherhood, . . .	3 30
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	48 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	8 00
Domestic missions, . . .	8 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$663 61</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

REV. PARNELL LEB. CROSS, Rector.

Post-office—Rapidan.

C. C. Conway, M. D., Treasurer—P. O., Rapidan.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 50, colored 1, total 51; added white 11, aggregate 62; removed 8, died 2, total 10; present number 52. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23. Number of catechisings, frequent. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of the Brotherhood, 3. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 4.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$739 30
r objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	127 25
Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	16 26
erhood, . . .	6 60
stant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	10 50
ingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	58 00
r objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	13 55
issions, . . .	17 14
Total, . . .	<u>\$988 60</u>

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. PARNELL LEB. CROSS, Rector.

Post-office—Rapidan.

. Slaughter, Treasurer—P. O., Mitchell's Station.

: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communi-
 erly reported white 22, added white 3 (of which by trans-
 25. Marriages: white 2. Parochial schools: numbers
 4; scholars 31.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$ 85 65
r objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	170 00
Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	12 50
ows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	3 00
ingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	16 00
oreign Missions, . . .	22 00
r general objects, . . .	3 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$312 15</u>

ESSEX COUNTY.

AND ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCHES, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. D. C. T. DAVIS, Rector.

Post-office—Loretto.

. H. C. Beverley, Treasurer—P. O., Loretto.

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Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 47, colored 2, total 49; added white 2, aggregate 51; removed 1; present number 50. Marriages: white 1, colored 2, total 3. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$470 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	18 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$7.84 from mite boxes), .	25 52
Disabled Clergy, .	1 61
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	1 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	23 00
General—Foreign Missions, .	11 04
Other general objects, .	3 00
Total, .	<u>\$553 17</u>

ST. JOHN'S AND ST. PAUL'S CHURCHES, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. ARTHUR C. THOMPSON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Dr. J. H. Latané, Treasurer—P. O., Mt. Landing.

Baptisms: white 1. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 95, colored 1, total 96; added white 6 (of which by transfer 1); aggregate 102; removed 24, died 2, total 26; present number 76. Marriages: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13, scholars 80, total 93. Contributions, \$19.50. Number of scholars confirmed 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$425 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	252 83
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$18.90 from mite boxes), .	47 41
Diocesan Education Society, .	4 28
Disabled Clergy, .	5 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	10 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	40 00
General—Foreign Missions, .	11 02
Total, .	<u>\$695 54</u>

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LUKE'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. J. HERVEY HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague.

B. Hundley, Treasurer—P. O., Montague.

adults white 7, infants white 6, total 13. Confirmations: 18. Communicants: formerly reported white 28, added 13; withdrawn 1, present number 30. Marriages: 1, total 5. Funerals: white 4. Members of the Church, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
objects, including incidental expenses,	17 50
Diocesan Missionary Society,	25 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 00
Endowed Clergy,	2 00
Brotherhood,	1 00
Agent Fund, paid last year,	24 00
objects in connection with the Diocese,	3 50
Foreign Missions,	10 00
Apostolic Missions,	1 00
General objects,	2 00
Total,	\$168 00

FAIRFAX COUNTY.

ZION CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. THOS. D. LEWIS, Rector.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

W. Huntt, Treasurer—P. O., Fairfax C. H.

adults white 5, infants white 1, total 6. Confirmations: 18. Communicants: formerly reported white 63, added white 13 by transfer 3, total 77; removed 1, died 4, total 5; present number 72. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 5. Sun-dered 1, total 5. Funerals: white 4. Members of the Church, 1. Contributions: 18. Communicants: formerly reported white 63, added white 13 by transfer 3, total 77; removed 1, died 4, total 5; present number 72. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 5. Sun-dered 1, total 5. Funerals: white 4. Members of the Church, 1. Contributions: 18.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$450 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	387 62
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$7.21 from Mite-Boxes), . . .	18 17
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	8 83
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	46 00
General—Missions, . . .	17 79
Foreign Missions, . . .	5 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	12 79
Other general objects, . . .	6 85
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$935 26

GOOD SHEPHERD MISSION OF ZION CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. THOS. D. LEWIS, Rector.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 5, total 7. Communicants: 5. Sunday-schools: scholars 31, teachers 4, total 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including other objects,	\$15 00
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POHICK AND OLIVET CHURCHES, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. SAMUEL A. WALLIS, acting as Rector.

Post-office—Theological Seminary.

N. B. Nevitt, M. D., Treasurer for Pohick—P. O., Accotink.

R. W. Gaillard, Treasurer for Olivet—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 9, infants white 31, total 40. Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: formerly reported white 78, added white 15, total 93; removed 2; present number 91. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 100, total 107. Contributions, \$55.49. Number of catechisms, 2. Number of scholars confirmed 5. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 8.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$250 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	120 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$15 from mite boxes),	25 13
Diocesan Education Society,	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	40 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Domestic Missions,	15 00
Virginia Bible Society,	5 00
Other general objects,	17 15
Total,	<u>\$492 28</u>

CHRIST AND ST. JOHN'S CHURCHES, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

A. C. Bleight, Treasurer—P. O., Chantilly.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 6, total 12. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white total 34; withdrawn 1, died 2, total 3; present number 31. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 35, total Contributions, \$6. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$81 08
Other objects, including other current expenses, . . .	54 19
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	11 06
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 14
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	26 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	5 73
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Total,	<u>\$183 20</u>

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ST. TIMOTHY'S CHURCH, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

Thomas Thornton, Treasurer—P. O., Wiehle.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 7, total 10. Confirmations white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 46, added white 3, total 49; removed 2, suspended 1, total 3; present number 46. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 30, total 36. Contributions, \$22.00. Number of catechisings, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$234 11
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	402 97
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$9.59 from mite boxes),	19 48
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 93
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	45 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	7 50
General—Foreign Missions,	6 54
Domestic Missions,	1 00
Total,	\$718 53

FALLS' CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

W. E. Parker, Treasurer—P. O., West End.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 9, total 14. Confirmations white 21. Communicants: formerly reported white 40, added white 19 (of which by transfer 6), total 59; removed 1, withdrawn 1, total 3; present number 56. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Contributions, \$20.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$17.66 from mite boxes),	29 09
Diocesan Education Society,	3 15
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 60
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	40 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	7 69
General—Foreign Missions,	6 72
Domestic Missions,	1 68
Total,	<hr/> \$598 93

FAUQUIER COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HAMILTON PARISH.

Rev. GEO. W. NELSON, Rector.

Post-office—Warrenton.

William Sheppard, Treasurer—P. O., Warrenton.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 5, total 9. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 128, added 22 (of which by transfer 2), colored 2 (of which by transfer 1), total 24, aggregate 152; removed 2, died 2, total 4, present number 150. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 45, total 52. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary 55.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,537 83
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	205 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$25.00 from Mite-Boxes),	63 27
Disabled Clergy,	23 20
Contingent Fund paid last year,	128 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	5 51
Other general objects,	95 00
Total,	<hr/> \$2,082 81

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LEED'S, BETHEL AND SOUTH RUN CHURCHES, LEED'S PARISH.

Rev. CHAS. H. LEE, JR., Rector.

Post-office—Hume.

Henry C. Stribling, Treasurer—P. O., Hume.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 2, total 6. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 71, added white 12 (of which by transfer 4), total 83; removed 2, present number 81. Marriages: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 12, scholars 90, total 102. Number of scholars confirmed 3. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	-	\$647 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	-	97 76
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$15.01 from Mite-Boxes),	.	40 22
Diocesan Education Society,	.	6 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	7 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	6 47
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	12 50
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	56 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	10 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	21 72
Domestic Missions,	.	3 28
Other general objects,	.	47 25
Total,	.	<u>\$955 20</u>

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

William Beverley, Treasurer—P. O., Broad Run.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 4 (of which by transfer 1), total 30; removed 3, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 5; present number, 25. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 35, total 40. Contributions: \$3. Number of catechisings, 6. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$208 02
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . .	20 03
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$8 from mite boxes),	20 13
Total,	<u>\$248 18</u>

GRACE AND TRINITY CHURCHES, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

J. R. Foster, Treasurer—P. O., The Plains.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 5, total 6. Confirmations: 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 90, added white of which by transfer 4), total 102. Marriages: white 3. Funerals—white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total Contributions, \$5. Number of catechisings, 11. Number of scholars confirmed 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$635 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . .	179 48
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$32 from mite boxes),	116 06
Diocesan Education Society,	22 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	10 00
Disabled Clergy,	15 00
Brotherhood,	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	90 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . .	56 82
General—Missions,	65 00
Foreign Missions,	100 00
Domestic Missions,	10 00
Virginia Bible Society,	5 00
Total,	<u>\$1,306 36</u>

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TRINITY CHURCH, MEADE PARISH.

Rev. E. S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

W. J. Mann, Treasurer—P. O., Upperville.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 12, total 13. C
tions: white 1. Communicants: present number 50. Mi
white 4. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, tea
scholars 28, total 33.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	.
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$17.00 from	.	.	.
mite boxes),	.	.	.
General—Domestic Missions,	.	.	.
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.
Other general objects,	.	.	.
Total,	.	.	\$

GRACE CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

(Vacant.)

W. B. Tompkins, Treasurer—P. O., Casanova.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 5, total 9. Confr
white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 61, add
5, total 66; removed and withdrawn 15; present number 5
day-schools: scholars 32. Number of catechisings 6. N
scholars confirmed 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	.	.
Diocesan Education Society,	.	.	.
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	.
Disabled Clergy,	.	.	.
Brotherhood,	.	.	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	.
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	.	.
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.
Total,	.	.	.

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ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

(Vacant.)

C. B. Chilton, Treasurer—P. O., Remington.

baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported
 42. Present number; 42. Sunday-schools: white teachers 3,
 scholars 12, total 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$160 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	7 00
Diocesan Education Society,	.	5 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	5 00
Other general objects,	.	20 00
Total,	.	<u>\$222 00</u>

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, CEDAR RUN PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Howson Hooe, Treasurer—P. O., Catlett's.

Communicants: formerly reported white 20; removed 1, present
 number 19.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$93 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	2 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	7 00
Diocesan Education Society,	.	6 31
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	20 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	2 90
Total,	.	<u>\$134 21</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, PIEDMONT PARISH.

Rev. CHAS. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Hume.

Henry Pfeifer, Treasurer—P. O., Delaplane.

baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported

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white 17; removed 3, died 1, total 4; present number 13. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$104 58
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	4 52
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	2 38
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	17 00
Total,	.	<u>\$128 48</u>

FLUVANNA COUNTY.

GRACE CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

Rev. W. W. BRANDER, Rector.

Post-office—Columbia.

John H. Cocke, Treasurer—P. O., Bremo Bluff.

Baptisms: adults white 5. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 5, total 24; removed 1, withdrawn 1, total 2; present number 22. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 35, total 40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$108 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	8 50
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$7.56 from		
Mite-Boxes),	.	24 31
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	12 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	4 71
Other general objects,	.	1 69
Total,	.	<u>\$159 46</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

Rev. W. W. BRANDER, Rector.

Post-office—Columbia.

Dr. John J. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Columbia.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations:

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te 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 45, colored 1, total 46; added white 11 (of which by transfer 3), aggregate 57; withdrawn 6, died 2, total 8; present number 49. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars total 90. Contributions, \$14.63. Number of catechisings, 3. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$60 80
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	97 91
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$12.39 from mite boxes),	21 74
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	24 00
Total,	<u>\$204 45</u>

FREDERICK COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICK PARISH.

Rev. NELSON P. DAME, Rector.

Post-office—Winchester.

Albert Baker, Treasurer—P. O., Winchester.

Baptisms: adults white 4, colored 2, total 6; infants white 12, aggregate 18. Confirmations: white 18, colored 2, total 20. Communicants: formerly reported white 218, colored 2, total 220; present number 220. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 150, scholars 150, total 170. Contributions, \$108.87.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,247 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	1,118 91
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$58.84 from mite boxes),	98 84
Diocesan Education Society,	40 90
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	27 10
Disabled Clergy,	50 00
Brotherhood,	35 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	45 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	218 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	320 00

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General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	520 00
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	147 00
Other general objects,	.	.	.	15 96
Total,	.	.	.	<u>\$4,483 61</u>

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Pierce Miller, Treasurer—P. O., Middletown.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: present number 25.
 Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 80.
 total 88.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$65 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	.	4 46
Total,	.	.	<u>\$69 46</u>

GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

ABINGDON CHURCH AND HOLY INNOCENT'S CHAPEL, ABINGDON PARISH.

Rev. WM. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester, C. H.

Joshua Bray, Treasurer—P. O., Hay's Store.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 9, total 15. Confirmations: white 19. Communicants: formerly reported white 49, added white 19, total 68; removed 1; present number 67. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white teachers 3, scholars 15, total 18. Contributions \$5.00. Number of catechisings. 2. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$142 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	30 00

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$8.93 from	
mite boxes),	33 60
Diocesan Education Society,	3 81
Disabled Clergy,	6 38
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	30 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	9 00
General—Missions,	1 00
Foreign Missions,	6 00
Domestic Missions,	3 00
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Total,	\$267 29

 WARE CHURCH, WARE PARISH.

Rev. WM. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester C. H.

Charles E. Cary, Treasurer—Gloucester C. H.

baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 55, added white total 69; removed 1, present number 68. Marriages: white 2, colored 3, total 5. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white scholars 6, scholars 30, total 36. Contributions, \$2.70. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 28.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$464 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	137 62
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$8.02 from	
mite boxes),	31 08
Diocesan Education Society,	8 69
Protestant Episcopal Church home,	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	30 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	14 50
General—Missions,	2 70
Foreign Missions,	6 20
Domestic Missions,	14 00
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Total,	\$710 79

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GOOCHLAND COUNTY.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

J. D. Brown, Treasurer—P. O., Sabot Island.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 12; present number 12. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 40, total 45.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$60 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	22 50
Diocesan—Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	10 00
Total,	.	<u>\$92 50</u>

GRACE CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

Moses T. Monteiro, Treasurer—P. O., Irwin.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 13 (of which by transfer 2), total 31; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 29.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$225 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	142 50
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	4 50
Diocesan Education Society,	.	2 25
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	2 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	1 85
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	14 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	2 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	2 14
Total,	.	<u>\$396 24</u>

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ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. P. R. NUGENT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John Wickham, Treasurer—P. O., Lorraine.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 15, added white 5, total 20; removed present number 19. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars total 47. Contributions, \$19.49.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$80 78
Diocesan—Diocesan Education Society,	.	15 98
Total,	.	<u>\$96 76</u>

HANOVER COUNTY.

ST. MARK, TRINITY, ST. MARTIN'S AND CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR CHURCHES.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 80, added white 2, total 82. Funerals: white 3. Contributions, \$17.65. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	75 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$10.65 from mite boxes),	.	50 00
Diocesan Education Society,	.	1 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	10 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	53 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	19 50
Domestic Missions,	.	6 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	14 25
Total,	.	<u>\$527 75</u>

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IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

J. M. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Old Church.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 9, total 35; removed 7, died 1, total 8; present number 27. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions \$6.56. Number of scholars confirmed 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$225 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$6.56 from Mite Boxes),	.	18 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	1 50
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	20 00
Total,	.	<u>\$264 50</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

B. L. Winston, Treasurer—P. O., Hanover C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 6, total 9. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 20, added white 6; present number 26. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions, \$5.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$ 400 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	2,600 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$5.00 from mite boxes),	.	15 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	20 00
Total,	.	<u>\$3,035 00</u>

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH, ST. JAMES' PARISH.

Rev. T. M. AMBLER, Rector.

Post-office—Ashland.

W. M. Jones, Treasurer—P. O., Ashland.

ptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 5. Communi-
 : formerly reported white 49, added white 7 (of which by trans-
) total 56; removed 6; present number 50. Sunday-schools:
 ; teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$39.59.
 ber of scholars confirmed, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

chial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$510 33
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	47 50
esan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$28.00 from mite boxes), . . .	74 13
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	10 57
Disabled Clergy, . . .	10 58
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	41 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	31 20
ral—Foreign Missions, . . .	24 77
Domestic Missions, . . .	14 76
Other general objects, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$783 34</u>

HENRICO COUNTY.

JOHN'S CHURCH, INCLUDING WEDDELL MEMORIAL CHAPEL
 ND CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. GOODWIN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John F. Mayer, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

ptisms: adults white 13; infants white 17, colored 4, total 21;
 gate 34. Confirmations: white 36. Communicants: formerly
 ted white 471, colored 1, total 472; added white 51 (of which

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by transfer 4), colored 1, total 52; aggregate 524; rer withdrawn 1, dropped 9, died 13, total 48; present nu Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 26. Sunday-scho teachers 60, scholars 443, total 503; colored, teachers 1, 150, total 165. Contributions, \$249.86. Number of ca frequent. Number of scholars confirmed, 17. Membe Brotherhood, 20. Members of the Brotherhood of St. 13. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 100.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	.
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$70 from mite boxes),	.	.	.
Diocesan Education Society,	.	.	.
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	.
Disabled Clergy,	.	.	.
Brotherhood,	.	.	.
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	.
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	.	.
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.
Other general objects,	.	.	.
Total,	.	.	.

 MONUMENTAL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. FENNER S. STICKNEY, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Robt. H. Fisher, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 5. Confirmations: white 28. (cants: formerly reported white 205, added white 134 (of transfer 106), total 339; withdrawn 14, died 1, total 15 number 324. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 3. schools: white, teachers 20, scholars 166, total 186. Cont \$134.05. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 2 bers of the Woman's Auxiliary, 64.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$2,548 94
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	2,722 07
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$97.87 from mite boxes), .	147 87
Diocesan Education Society, .	73 89
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	25 52
Disabled Clergy, .	25 52
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	150 75
Contingent fund, paid last year, .	206 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	42 77
General—Missions, .	206 87
Foreign Missions, .	50 00
Total, .	<u>\$6,200 20</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. HARTLEY CARMICHAEL, Rector.

Rev. Z. S. FARLAND, Assistant.

Post-office—Richmond.

B. Ran. Wellford, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 10, infants white 22, total 32. Confirmations: white 24. Communicants: formerly reported white 459, added white 30 (of which by transfer 6), total 489; removed 6, withdrawn 5, died 4, total 15; present number 474. Funerals: white 18. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 47, scholars 360, total 407. Contributions, \$385.39. Number of scholars confirmed, 12. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 15. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 62.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$8,799 77
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	9,163 06
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$225.39 from mite boxes), .	566 68
Diocesan Education Society, .	143 58
Widows' and Orphan's Fund, .	64 00
Disabled Clergy, .	114 04
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	459 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	554 58

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General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.
Other general objects,	.	.	.
Total,	.	.	\$2

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN K. MASON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

W. F. Gray, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults colored 1, infants white 10, total 11. C
 tions: white 23. Communicants: formerly reported white
 ored 1, total 440; added white 28 (of which by transfer 6), a
 468; removed 26, withdrawn 4, died 9, total 39; present
 429. Marriages: white 8. Funerals: white 17. Sunday
 white, teachers 28, scholars 242, total 270. Contributions,
 Number of catechisings, frequent. Number of scholars co
 12. Members of the Brotherhood, 22. Members of the
 hood of St. Andrew, 48. Members of the Woman's Auxili

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$.
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$193.11 from mite boxes),	.	.
Diocesan Education Society,	.	.
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.
Disabled Clergy,	.	.
Brotherhood,	.	.
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	.
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.
Domestic Missions,	.	.
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.
Other general objects,	.	.
Total,	.	\$10

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GRACE CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. LANDON R. MASON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Dr. John R. Wheat, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 8, total 9. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 313, added white (of which by transfer 4), total 330; removed 35, died 3, total 38; present number 292. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 18. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 22, scholars 156, total 178. Contributions, \$242.42. Number of catechisings, 9. Number of scholars confirmed, 8. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 38.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$4,469 47
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	436 34
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$150 from white boxes),	186 00
Diocesan Education Society,	25 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	22 49
Disabled Clergy,	57 79
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	61 56
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	313 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	882 91
General—Missions,	27 99
Foreign Missions,	95 47
Domestic Missions,	78 00
Virginia Bible Society,	4 32
Other general objects,	62 41
Total,	\$6,722 75

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. GEO. C. ABBITT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

F. D. Beveridge, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 9, total 13. Confirmations:

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white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 267, added white 34 (of which by transfer 14), total 301; removed 15, withdrawn 7, died 3, total 25; present number 276. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 19. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13, scholars 120, total 133. Contributions, \$128.85. Number of catechisings, weekly. Number of scholars confirmed, 8. Members of the Brotherhood, 5. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,000 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	482 81
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$50 from mite boxes),	60 53
Diocesan Education Society,	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 75
Disabled Clergy,	11 22
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	6 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	82 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	39 63
General—Foreign Missions,	46 62
Virginia Bible Society,	3 25
Total,	\$2,747 81

 HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. J. GRAVATT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

James M. Ball, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 14, total 19. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 188, added white 61 (of which by transfer 50), total 249; removed 16, died 2, total 18; present number 231. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 10. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 24, scholars 170, total 194. Contributions, \$175.91. Number of catechisings, 6. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 29. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 43.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$4,135 89
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	3,050 04

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cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$30.00 from		
mite boxes),	.	50 33
Diocesan Education Society,	.	18 06
Disabled Clergy,	.	29 48
Protestant Episcopal Church home,	.	15 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	188 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	85 04
eral—Foreign Missions,	.	13 00
Domestic Missions,	.	350 15
Other general objects,	.	75 00
Total,	.	<u>\$8,009 99</u>

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. PIKE POWERS, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Geo. A. Barksdale, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 13, total 15. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 165, added 11 (of which by transfer 4), total 176; died 1; present number 165. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: 12 teachers 20, scholars 224, total 244. Contributions, \$144.94. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Parochial Schools: Number of teachers, 15. Number of paid teachers, 2. Scholars, 136. Members of the Brotherhood, 6. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$1,292 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	154 30
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$81.40 from		
mite boxes),	.	118 32
Diocesan Education Society,	.	10 33
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	9 20
Disabled Clergy,	.	10 00
Brotherhood,	.	2 20
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	73 40
eral—Missions,	.	8 00
Foreign Missions,	.	53 71
Virginia Bible Society,	.	7 22
Total,	.	<u>\$1,745 50</u>

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CHRIST CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. PRESTON NASH, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

C. C. Baughman, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 9, infants white 18, total 27. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 255, added white 25 (of which by transfer 8), total 280; removed 28, withdrawn 2, total 30; present number 250. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 15. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 24, scholars 301, total 325. Contributions, \$136.10. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of the Brotherhood, 2. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,152 90
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	158 50
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$46.39 from mite boxes),	68 14
Diocesan Education Society,	12 35
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	33 09
General—Foreign Missions,	5 37
Total,	<u>\$1,430 35</u>

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. Y. DOWNMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John R. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 11, total 14. Confirmations: white 19. Communicants: formerly reported white 265, added white 44 (of which by transfer 25), total 309; removed 4, suspended 3, died 2, total 9; present number 300. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white teachers 16, scholars 108, total 124. Contributions, \$94.60. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$4,927 82
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,926 74

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	175 00
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	29 78
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	67 74
Disabled Clergy, . . .	67 73
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	200 00
Contingent Fund, paid this year, . . .	300 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	61 26
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	50 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	26 00
Other general objects, . . .	780 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$9,612 07</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. B. M. RANDOPH, Rector.

Post-office—Brook Hill.

Joseph Bryan, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white, added white 14 (of which by transfer 2), total 145; removed 4, withdrawn 2, total 6; present number 139. Marriages: white 1. Baptisms: white 2. Sunday-schools 3; white, teachers 15, scholars, total 136; colored, teachers 2, scholars 65, total 67. Contributions, \$128.02. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 14. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$2,059 24
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	1,258 34
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$78.35 from white boxes), . . .	1,032 02
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	137 38
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	378 84
Brotherhood, . . .	30 60
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	131 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	103 50
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	275 00
Domestic missions, . . .	166 09
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	50 00
Other general objects, . . .	115 50
Total, . . .	<u>\$5,737 51</u>

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ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN W. JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

M. R. Wallace, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults colored 4, infants colored 4, total 8. Confirmations: colored 6. Communicants: formerly reported colored 70, added colored 6, total 76; removed 4, suspended 2, total 6; present number 70. Marriages: colored 3. Funerals: colored 6. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 6, scholars 46, total 52. Contributions: \$18.50. Number of catechisings, frequent. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Parochial Schools: number of paid teachers 1, scholars 28.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$325 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	50 00
General—Missions,	.	7 00
Other general objects,	.	5 00
Total,	.	\$387 00

KING GEORGE COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George C. H.

Washington Tennent, Treasurer—P. O., Mathias' Point.

Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 60, colored 1, total 61; added white 6 (of which by transfer 1), aggregate 67; removed 3; present number 64. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$165 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	192 00

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cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	28 66
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 51
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	40 00
eral—Missions, . . .	3 31
Total, . . .	<u>\$431 48</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, HANOVER PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George C. H.

Dr. T. T. Arnold, Treasurer—P. O., Comorn.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 6. Communi-
 cants: formerly reported white 66, added white 6, total 72; present
 number 72. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-
 schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Number of scholars
 confirmed, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$350 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	241 00
cesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . .	38 52
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 98
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	42 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	10 00
eral—Other general objects, . . .	100 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$790 50</u>

KING AND QUEEN COUNTY.

IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

Rev. ARTHUR C. THOMSON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

S. F. Harwood, Treasurer—P. O., King and Queen C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 6, colored 1, total 7; re-
 ported 1, present number 6.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$105 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	45 11
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	11 90
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	2 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	5 00
Total,	.	<u>\$176 01</u>

KING WILLIAM COUNTY.

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, ST. DAVID'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Evelyn C. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Aylett.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 1, total 5. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 4, total 28; present number 28. Marriages: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$76 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	92 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	10 64
Contingent fund, paid last year,	.	24 00
Total,	.	<u>\$203 14</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ST. JOHN'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

W. A. Trigge, Treasurer—P. O., West Point.

Communicants: formerly reported white 45; withdrawn 4, died 2, total 6; present number 39. Funerals: white 4. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 4.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$347 19
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	121 30
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$12.50 from mite boxes),	30 43
Total,	<u>\$498 92</u>

LANCASTER COUNTY.

WHITE CHAPEL, GRACE AND TRINITY CHURCHES, CHRIST CHURCH PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

A. A. Moody, Treasurer—P. O., Lancaster.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 1, total 6. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 94, added white total 111; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 109. Marriages: white 4, colored 2, total 6. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 80, total 90. Contributions, \$40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$546 60
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	500 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$24.52 from mite boxes),	97 90
Diocesan Education Society,	10 00
Widows' and Orphan's Fund,	6 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	52 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	4 00
General—Missions,	1 50
Total,	<u>\$1,218 25</u>

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LOUDOUN COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH AND CHAPEL OF OUR SAVIOUR,
SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. BERRYMAN GREEN, Rector.

Post-office—Leesburg.

Capt. H. O. Clagett, Treasurer—P. O., Leesburg.

Baptisms: adults white 16, infants white 14, total 30. Confirmations: white 51. Communicants: formerly reported white 170, colored 3, total 173; added white 52 (of which by transfer 1), aggregate 225; removed 3, withdrawn 5, died 3, total 11; present number 214. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 22, scholars 160, total 182; colored, teachers 3, scholars 25, total 28. Contributions, \$108.00. Number of catechisings, 7. Number of scholars confirmed, 13. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 21. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 19.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$1,477 93
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	2,015 99
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	75 00
Diocesan Education Society,	.	50 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	36 41
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	25 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	140 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	155 00
Domestic Missions,	.	109 44
Total,	.	\$4,084 77

EMMANUEL CHURCH, JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. E. S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

B. W. Haxall, Treasurer—P. O., Dover.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: present number 21. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 3, scholars 12, total 15.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . . \$250 00

CHURCH OF OUR REDEEMER, ST. JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. E. S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

J. M. McVeigh, Treasurer—P. O., Aldie.

Confirmations: 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars total 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . . \$250 00

PAUL'S AND MT. CALVARY CHURCHES, SHELBOURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

G. O. Tavenner, Treasurer—P. O., Hamilton.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants colored 1, total 6. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 40, colored 2, total 42; added white 13 (of which by transfer 1), aggregate 55; died 1; present number 54. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 33, total Number of scholars confirmed 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$272 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	574 62
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$25 from mite mite-boxes), . . .	77 18
Diocesan Education Society, . . .	7 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	5 71
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	35 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, . . .	22 50
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	28 13
Total, . . .	\$1,025 14

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CHRIST CHURCH, SHELBOURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

A. B. Shreve, Treasurer—P. O., Luckets.

Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 3, total 22; died 1; present number 21. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$116 37
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	30 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$7.14 from mite boxes), .	15 78
Diocesan Education Society, .	3 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	21 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$187 15</u>

 LOUISA COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH AND CHAPEL, GREEN SPRINGS PARISH.

Rev. EDW. VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont.

Robt. C. Perkins, Treasurer—P. O., Poindexters.

Communicants: formerly reported white 24; present number 24. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 3, scholars 15, total 18.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$260 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	20 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (60 cts. from Mite-Boxes), .	7 14

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Diocesan Education Society,	.	.	2	75
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	2	02
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	.	12	50
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	2	36
Total,	.	.		<u>\$306 77</u>

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, TRINITY PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Rev. E. W. COWLING, Assistant.

Post-office—Louisa.

Leon Levy, Treasurer—P. O., Louisa.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white (of which by transfer 3), total 34; present number 34. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	-	\$118	52
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	-	54	00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$2.75 from mite boxes),	.	8	44
Diocesan Education Society,	.	1	21
Disabled Clergy,	.		79
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	3	08
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	18	73
General—Foreign Missions,	.	2	14
Total,	.		<u>\$206 91</u>

MADISON COUNTY.

PIEDMONT CHURCH, BROMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. E. W. COWLING, Rector.

Post-office—Madison C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 6; present number 6. Fu-

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nerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, scholars 27. Contributions, \$15.00. Number of catechisings, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$160 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	25 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$15.00 from Mite-Boxes),	33 44
Contingent Fund paid last year,	6 00
Total,	<u>\$224 44</u>

 MATHEWS COUNTY.

CHRIST AND TRINITY CHURCHES, KINGSTON PARISH.

Rev. JAMES GRAMMER, Rector.

Post-office—Mathews C. H.

Dr. Thomas B. Lane, Treasurer—P. O., Port Haywood.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 57, added white 1, total 58; removed 5; present number 53. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$ 725 59
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,110 20
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$9.76 from mite boxes),	65 25
Diocesan Education Society,	24 64
Disabled Clergy,	1 51
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	1 42
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	57 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	77
General—Foreign Missions,	23 09
Virginia Bible Society,	1 35
Other general objects,	12 39
Total,	<u>\$3,023 21</u>

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MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHRIST CHURCH PARISH.

Rev. J. H. HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague's.

E. B. Marston, Treasurer—P. O., Saluda.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 2, total 4. Confirmations: 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 26; present number 26. Marriages: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 38, total 45. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$80 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	53 11
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	4 57
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	21 00
Total,	.	<u>\$158 68</u>

NEW KENT COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. PETER' PARISH.

Rev. PIKE POWERS, Rector.

Rev. W. B. Williams, Assistant.

Post-office—Richmond.

Lane Lacy, Treasurer—P. O., Tunstalls.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 15; present number 15. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	25 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	10 39
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	10 00
Total,	.	<u>\$145 39</u>

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NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH AND WICOMICO CHAPEL, WICOMICO PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

J. F. Snow, Treasurer—P. O., Wicomico Church.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 23, added white 10, total 33; present number 33.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$51 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	100 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	8 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	1 00
Total,	.	\$160 00

ORANGE COUNTY.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. J. S. HANSBROUGH, Rector.

Post-office—Orange C. H.

Baptisms: infants white 4. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 99, added white 9, total 108; removed 5, died 3, total 8; present number 100. Marriages: white 4, colored 2, total 6. Funerals: white 16. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 45, total 50. Contributions, \$5.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$692 51
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	885 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$41.67 from mite boxes),	.	82 53
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	14 93
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	99 00

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Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	20 00
General—Foreign Missions,	16 04
Total,	<u>\$1,810 01</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH RICHARD ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Jno. T. Davenport, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 75, added white 4 (of which by transfer 1), total 79; removed died 4, total 9; present number 70. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 4, colored 1, total 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$373 55
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	37 25
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$4.20 from white boxes),	18 94
Disabled Clergy	3 53
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	5 15
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	58 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	377 00
General—Missions,	3 60
Foreign Missions,	21 07
Other general objects,	5 00
Total,	<u>\$903 09</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH (COLORED), ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN (colored), Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Mrs. Kitty Hawkins, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Communicants: formerly reported colored 28. Funerals: colored Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 3, scholars 100, total 103. Contributions, \$8.81. Number of catechisings, 12. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers, 1, scholars 90.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$30 19
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	8 81
General—Missions,	.	2 00
Total,	.	<u>\$41 00</u>

CALVARY CHURCH (COLORED), ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN (colored), Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

James Cooper, Treasurer—P. O., Albano.

Communicants: formerly reported colored 23, withdrawn 2, present number 21. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 2, scholars 41, total 43. Contributions, \$2 Parochial Schools: number of paid teachers 1, scholars 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$50 00
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CHRIST CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: present number 24. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 38, total 43. Contributions, \$5.00. Number of catechisings, frequent.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$47 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	90 17
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$7.50 from mite boxes),	.	13 12
Total,	.	<u>\$150 54</u>

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CALVARY CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

Baptisms: adults white 4. Confirmations: white 11. Communi-
cants: present number 22. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6,
scholars 36, total 42. Contributions, \$35.00. Number of catechis-
ings, monthly. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$189 79
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	163 44
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$11.25 from		
Mite Boxes),	.	25 21
Disabled Clergy,	.	72
General—Foreign Missions,	.	2 90
Total,	.	<hr/> \$382 06

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY.

TRINITY CHURCH, DETTINGEN PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS D. LEWIS, Rector.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

R. W. Merchant, Treasurer—P. O., Manassas.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 1, total 5. Confirmations:
white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 44, added white
of which by transfer 12), total 66; died 1; present number 65.
Catechists: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 101,
total 108. Contributions, \$23.37. Number of catechisings, 6. Num-
ber of scholars confirmed, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$242 20
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	169 09

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Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$8.96 from mite-boxes),	.	.	.	11 99
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	.	1 88
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	.	22 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	4 00
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	3 22
Other general objects,	.	.	.	2 75
Total,	.	.	.	<u>\$457 13</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HAYMARKET PARISH.

Rev. G. S. SOMERVILLE, Rector.

Post-office—Haymarket.

Arthur Thorp, Treasurer—P. O., Gainesville.

Baptisms: adults white 18, infants white 17, total 35. Confirmations: white 78. Communicants: formerly reported white 94, added white 67 (of which by transfer 3), total 161; removed 6, died 1, total 7; present number 154. Marriages: white 2, colored 4, total 6. Funerals: white 6, colored 1, total 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 65, total 73. Contributions, \$65.51. Number of catechisings, generally every month. Number of scholars confirmed, 14. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 16. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 34.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	.	\$1,125 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	.	331 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$35 from mite boxes),	.	.	.	55 83
Diocesan Education Society,	.	.	.	29 40
Disabled Clergy,	.	.	.	13 50
Contingent fund, paid last year,	.	.	.	78 40
General—Missions,	.	.	.	10 00
Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	34 50
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	30 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.	4 13
Total,	.	.	.	<u>\$1,712 02</u>

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QUANTICO CHURCH, DETTINGEN PARISH.

(Vacant.)

J. Keys, Treasurer—P. O., Dumfries.

Communicants: present number 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$50 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Education Society,	.	5 93
Total,	.	<u>\$55 93</u>

RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH BLOOMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. CHARLES S. HARRISON, Rector.

Post-office—Sperryville.

Thomas Vigis, Treasurer—P. O., Hawlin.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 27, added white 3, total 30; removed 1, total 2; present number 28. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$140 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	116 57
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	8 73
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	2 20
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	22 00
Other general objects,	.	2 01
Total,	.	<u>\$291 51</u>

TRINITY CHURCH, BLOOMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. CHARLES S. HARRISON, Rector.

Post-office—Sperryville.

E. M. Green, Treasurer—P. O., Gaines' Cross Roads.

Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white

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44, colored 1, total 45; added white 5, aggregate 50; removed 5, died 1, total 6; present number 44. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25. Number of catechisings, 6. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	94 85
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$11.13 from mite boxes), . . .	37 16
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	33 00
General—Other general objects, . . .	11 28
Total, . . .	<u>\$476 29</u>

 RICHMOND COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, LUNENBURG PARISH.

Rev. THOS. SEMMES, Deacon in Charge.

Post-office—Warsaw.

G. M. Sydnor, Treasurer—P. O., Warsaw.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 1, total 4. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 65, added white 5 (of which by transfer 1), total 70; withdrawn 10; present number 60. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 43, total 50. Contributions, \$27.84. Number of catechisings, 5. Number of scholars confirmed, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$341 15
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	90 15
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$17.23 from mite-boxes), . . .	62 80
Disabled Clergy, . . .	7 58
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	42 00
General—Missions, . . .	3 13
Foreign Missions, . . .	10 50
Other general objects, . . .	29 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$586 31</u>

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EMMANUEL CHURCH, NORTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. THOS. SEMMES, Minister.

Post-office—Warsaw.

W. G. Brockenbrough, Treasurer—P. O., Emmerton.

baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 1, total 5. Confirmations: 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 28, added white 8, total 36; removed 4, withdrawn 4, total 8; present number 28. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$85 85
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	65 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$1.25 from mite boxes),	14 01
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	30 00
Total,	<u>\$194 86</u>

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, ROCKINGHAM PARISH.

Rev. O. M. YERGER, Rector.

Post-office—Harrisonburg.

John T. Harris, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Harrisonburg.

baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 5, total 6. Confirmations: 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 87, added white 1, total 88; died 1; present number 87. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 51, total colored, scholars 2. Contributions, \$12.94. Number of scholars confirmed 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$900 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	331 67
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	28 59
Disabled Clergy,	20 77
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	66 00
Total,	<u>\$1,347 03</u>

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GRACE MEMORIAL CHURCH, ROCKINGHAM PARISH.

Rev. J. S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

Mrs. S. H. Lewis, Treasurer—P. O., Lynnwood.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 9, total 10. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 8, total 32; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 30. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 32, total 36. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$86 89
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	78 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$14.00 from mite boxes),	34 00
Diocesan Education Society,	10 00
Disabled Clergy,	19 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	12 00
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Total,	\$245 14

 SHENANDOAH COUNTY.

ST. ANDREW'S AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, BECKFORD PARISH.

Rev. J. T. L. HYNES, Rector.

Post-office—Mount Jackson.

L. Triplett, Treasurer—P. O., Mount Jackson.

Mrs. Dr. Campbell, Treasurer for Emmanuel—P. O., Woodstock.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 1, total 4. Confirmations: white 20. Communicants: formerly reported white 111, added white 5 (of which by transfer 1), total 116; removed 1, withdrawn 1, total 2; present number 114. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 14, scholars 66, total 80. Number of scholars confirmed, 4.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$574 63
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	90 79
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	35 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	46 00
Other general objects,	.	15 00
Total,	.	<u>\$763 42</u>

SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. W. M. CLARK, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

D. H. Knox, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 21, infants white 3, total 24. Confirmations: white 62. Communicants: formerly reported white 210, added 2, total 212; added white 69 (of which by transfer 7), aggregated 281; removed 8, died 8, total 16; present number 265. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 27, scholars 140; colored, teachers 8, scholars 180, total Contributions, \$150. Number of scholars confirmed, 26. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers, 2, scholars 11. Members of the Brotherhood, 9. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$2,329 05
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	1,522 88
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	200 00
Diocesan Education Society,	.	125 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	40 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	30 00
Brotherhood,	.	19 80
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	40 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	210 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	50 00

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General—Missions,	.	.	.	
Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	10
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.	
Other general objects,	.	.	.	
Total,				\$4.7

TRINITY CHURCH AND ST. GEORGE'S CHAPEL, ST. GEORGE'S PA

Rev. J. C. GRAY, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

Geo. B. Pearson, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 5, total 8. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 116, colored 117; added white 32 (of which by transfer 14), aggregated removed 10, suspended 1, died 1, total 12; present number 116. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: 2, teachers 15, scholars 75, total 90. Contributions, \$60.27. Number of catechisings, frequent. Number of scholars confirmed, 8. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 32.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$60.27
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	7.00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society,	.	
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	
Disabled Clergy,	.	
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	
General—Missions,	.	
Domestic Missions,	.	
Total,		\$11.00

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: present number 11.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society, . . . \$5 67

STAFFORD COUNTY.

AQUIA CHURCH, OVERWHARTON PARISH.

Rev. J. H. BIRCKHEAD, Rector.

Post-office—Stafford C. H.

Hugh Aidie, Treasurer—P. O., Garrisonville.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 2, total 7. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 59, added white 6, total 65. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 26. Parochial Schools: number of paid teachers, 1, scholars 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$169 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	47 50
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$17.06 from mite boxes),	.	32 33
Diocesan Education Society,	.	3 51
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	27 50
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	65 00
General—Missions,	.	5 00
Foreign Missions,	.	5 00
Other general objects,	.	8 41
Total,	.	\$363 25

WARREN COUNTY.

CALVARY CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: present number 52.

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PAYNE CHAPEL AND ST. PETER'S CHURCH, WASHINGTON PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

Dr. Walker Washington, Treasurer—P. O., Oak Grove.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 60, added white 6 (of which by transfer 3), total 66; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 64. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 21, total 25. Catechisings, frequent. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of the Brotherhood, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$409 54
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	119 92
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$18.06 from mite boxes),	113 49
Diocesan Education Society,	5 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 25
Disabled Clergy,	6 00
Brotherhood,	11 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	42 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	9 00
General—Foreign Missions,	12 20
Other general objects,	7 28
Total,	\$738 68

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. WM. C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

John Goodridge, Treasurer—P. O., Montross.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 14, added white 2 (of which by transfer 1), total 16; removed 1; present number 15. Marriages: white 1. Funerals; white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Catechisings, occasional.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$88 70
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	28 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$6.11 from mite boxes),	15 82
Disabled clergy,	1 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	13 00
General—Foreign Missions,	74
Total,	<hr/> \$147 26

ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Deacon in charge.

Post-office—Warsaw.

E. B. Hutt, Treasurer—P. O., Nomini Grove.

Baptisms: adults white 4. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 23; added white 6, total 29; removed withdrawn 3, died 1, total 9; present number, 20. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 22, total 25.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$15 20
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COPLE CHURCH, COPLE PARISH.

A. B. CHINN, Deacon in charge.

Post-office—Hague.

Frederick Griffith, Treasurer—P. O., Hague.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 8, total 11. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 92, added 19, total 111; removed 3, withdrawn 1, died 3, total 7; present number 94. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13, scholars 72, total 85. Number of catechumens, 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 4.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$569 28
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	113 00
Diocesan—Diocesan Missionary Society (\$26.03 from	
mite boxes),	46 63
Diocesan Education Society,	5 63
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	40 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	2 00
General—Missions,	1 75
Domestic Missions,	2 00
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Total ,	\$780 29

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ADDRESS OF RT. REV. A. M. RANDOLPH, LL. D.,

ON THE 16TH OF MAY, 1895, IN CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., BEFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA; DELIVERED BY INVITATION OF THAT BODY UPON THE OCCASION OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH COUNCIL OF THE CHURCH IN VIRGINIA.

Before I begin my subject, I hope that I may be permitted to say that I feel it to be good to be here, to look into so many familiar faces, to think of my privileges in ministering to you in the years that are past and to look forward to the renewal of happy associations in the years to come. I suppose on an occasion like this you will expect me to speak of principles first, and of events only as they are illustrations of principles; and also to take you back to the springs of our Church life and legislation, so that we may account for the direction the stream has taken ever since.

The prophets and lawgivers of the Old Testament were inspired to educate the people of Israel to look at their past and to remember its lessons. That seems to be a principle of the Divine education of the race revealed in the Bible. "Hearken unto me, ye that follow after righteousness, ye that seek the Lord; look unto the rock whence ye are hewn, and to the hole of the pit whence ye are digged. Look unto Abraham your father, and Sarah that bare you: for I called him alone, and blessed him, and increased him." That principle, expressed by the Prophet, runs through the training of all the Old Testament people, and is the religious foundation of history for all nations and all ages.

I suppose that every student has realized that it is impossible to reach any adequate understanding of the present, either in religious or in political institutions, without tracing and finding their roots in the past. We cannot form a sound judgment of the value and the meaning of institutions until we get down to the firm basis of right and of popular love and experience upon which they rest, and which have given them their long tenure of life.

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Studying history is not like studying genealogy or geology. In both of these studies we begin at the present and go back to the past. We begin at the surface and go down to the lower strata. But in history we begin at the lower and come up to the higher. We begin at the beginning and work up to the present, and at each stage of the development of society we see the sentiment of justice, of right, or duty, or the sympathy, or the antipathy which gave birth to the institution at the beginning, holding and perpetuating it until we find it stronger to-day by reason of the deep roots that penetrate the soil of past generations. If we would study theology or Church history we do not begin by taking some doctrinal expression or ritual form of to-day or yesterday and finding out from that what was the doctrine and the form at the beginning. Our opinions upon such things are about as valuable as those of a reporter for a daily newspaper if we study them in that way. If we want to know about the doctrines of Christianity, about the will and the purpose of Christ in reference to the organization of the Church for the propagation of Christianity in the world, we will know nothing unless we go back to the New Testament, to the upper chamber at Jerusalem, to the Acts of the Apostles and the Epistles, and to the growth and development of the forms of Christian organization for the first three centuries. We must begin at the beginning if we would get anything like foundation principles from the study of history.

There is another valuable lesson that we learn from the study of the past, especially in the history of religion and of churches. We learn the fallacy of a principle which has done and is doing service still in the cause of ignorance, of error and of superstition. History teaches us that the past is like the present in its sins and its errors and its wanderings. It teaches the identity of human nature in all ages. It teaches us that the past has no more claim to infallibility than the present. The past has no mortgage on the right and the property of the present in the truth and in the freedom to search for the truth. As one has said, "To be a slave of old traditions is as great a folly as to be a slave of new quackeries; but the fault is in the slavish use, not in the old traditions or in the modern nostrums, and the former error is perhaps the less pardonable, as it is a sin against greater light."

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And then another lesson that we learn from the study of history general, and especially from the history of Christianity, is a lesson of tolerance, a lesson of patience, a lesson of sympathy and of fairness in making up our minds and forming our judgments. And that, perhaps, is a greater lesson for practical use and for our efficiency in dealing wisely with the present than any other that we could learn. Removed as we are, in the study of the history of the past, from the passions and the interests and the bitterness of the controversies of other generations, either in Church or State, we have a chance to see what they could not see. Even in our own short lives we are conscious of changes in our feelings upon public questions where we once deemed the slightest compromise as treachery to the truth. We have all learned that there are very few questions where nothing may not be said on both sides; very few where all the wise are on the one side and all the fools on the other; very few where there is not ignorance and obstinacy in the rank and file, and often the leaders of opposing parties upon all questions. We have learned that those who have the truth are not always tolerant in their advocacy of it, and, because they are not, the truth suffers and is wounded in the house of its friends. On the other hand, we have seen the advocates of toleration and the self-appointed exponents of freedom of opinion more contemptuous of opposition than the narrow-minded people who are the objects of their sweeping condemnation. History delivers these lessons upon human nature as revealed in the controversies and the struggles of the past in Church and in State. And then what a good thing it is to learn from history, respect for those who differ from us, and kind consideration of conscientious opposition. How it civilizes and renders us more efficient for dealing with men and with the complex problems that present themselves in religion and in life.

It is humiliating, and yet it is salutary, to learn how good and evil mingle in the best men and find their way into the motives that move the best of causes. It is hard to see men that we love in the wrong, and they often are in the wrong, and it is our duty to see it when they are. It is hard to acknowledge that the people against whom we have a prejudice, or at least who are uncongenial to us, are in the right. Patrick Henry was not the ablest but perhaps the most

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attractive man and the noblest spirit that adorns the story of our revolutionary struggle for independence. He begun his career and won his first triumph as an orator by his splendid advocacy of a wrong which was absolutely indefensible upon any principle of justice and of law; and yet how hard it is, when we read the story, not to sympathize with the splendid courage and fervor of the young orator, and with the judge and the jury who lost their heads as they listened to him, and with the crowd who bore him in triumph on their shoulders. But the triumph was a blow to justice, and that always demands retribution and sows seeds which last long and are hard to kill.

The Episcopal Church in the colonies, as in the mother country, was the Church established by the Government and supported by the taxes of all the people. Its members had no idea of any Church but that, no conception of the possibility of a Church without that. Who will wonder at them then for regarding themselves as persecuted and oppressed when, after the Revolution, the crash came which stripped them of the revenues of a State Church, and in its stead established religious equality? No wonder that they thought that the world was then coming to an end and that Christianity was lost. We can sympathize with the thousands of noble men and women in the Church who believed thus, and we are repelled by the bitterness and the coarseness with which the Church was assailed by Christians under other names; but who doubts to-day that those who were instrumental in destroying the establishment in Virginia were right and those who upheld it were wrong? In the complex affairs of human history we must be prepared oftentimes to find our friends in the wrong and those whom we call our foes in the right. We must be prepared to respect conflicting views and to give equitable consideration to conscientious opposition; if we do not, all that history will do for us will be to confirm us in our preconceived opinions, and we will use it to prove our side, but it will teach us nothing. It will administer no discipline to our characters or illumination to our understandings, and we will find in it no light to warn us against the dangers which have brought disasters in the past.

The greatest historic interest of the settlements in the colonies and in the original thirteen States is to be found in the fact that they were

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small and distinct and independent communities. Both in Church and in State they were little children, and they grew to what they were to be; grew in isolation, as it were: and in some senses isolation and privacy are as necessary for the growth of ideas and institutions as for the growth of children. The difference, for example, between the older States of our country—Virginia, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania and Maryland—in ideas of government, in political and religious education, and the newer States, is to be found in the fact that the older ones grew from infancy, and the new ones were, so to speak, born grown up. They had not the schooling and the wholesome discipline of childhood. They had their constitutions and their politics ready-made for them, and they took them ready-made without thinking what they meant, without grasping the principles which they embodied. The older States worked them out, fought over them in the arena of political and ecclesiastical discussion. They had upon them all the responsibility of striking out a new path in government, to meet the exigencies of their conditions, and that necessity stimulated and developed in them an understanding of the ideas at the bottom of institutions. This is the reason why the older States and Dioceses are far more interesting in their history than the new ones. You admit a State into the Union to-day. That State has only copied its State Constitution from the older ones. You admit a Diocese; it is the same thing. They take their constitution and forms, wholesale, ready-made, like a boy brought up in luxury, inheriting a fortune from a father, whose wisdom and energy and financial ability gained it for him. The boy knows nothing, and oftentimes the fortune is wasted.

Virginia was separated from the world in her colonial life and her earlier days as a member of the National Confederation, as we cannot imagine now. Step by step she grew in public sentiment and in knowledge of law and government. Her public men had time to think, were obliged to think. Their conditions for thinking and for pure free life, and honest calm conclusions, were in some respects more favorable than those of the modern public man. Something of privacy is surely needed for healthy growth. For men or for communities to have the world staring at them through the spectacles of the telegraph and the newspapers helps to make them self-con-

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scious and artificial and corrupt in motive. Public criticism that is healthy and natural is an antiseptic to corruption, but sensationalism is depraving to society and to the individual. It is well to bear this principle in mind, that we may understand some features in the early history of Virginia, both as a colony and a State, which otherwise seem unaccountable. The period gave birth to some of the noblest women and to many of the wisest political thinkers the world has ever seen. Their environment contributed to their greatness. They lived out of the glare and out of the publicity of our complex civilization. There was nothing like so much waste and more of concentration in their lives than there often is in our life. They grew, and growth is a slow and silent process.

The Council here is the one hundredth Convention of our Church in Virginia. In the year 1795 there was no Convention, and between 1799 and 1812 there were many years when the deep depression of the Church led to and perhaps compelled, from poverty and hopelessness, the abandonment of conventional meetings. The failure in these years makes this the one hundredth annual Convention.

The first Convention of this Church in Virginia assembled in Richmond on the 18th day of May, 1785, two years after the close of the war of the Revolution. It was composed of thirty-six clergy men and seventy-one laymen. Among the clergy who answered to the roll-call were: Devereaux Jarratt, from Dinwiddie; David Griffith, from Fairfax; Alexander Belmain, from Frederick; John Buchanan, from Henrico; and James Madison from James City; and the list of the laity contains names of individuals and of families among the familiar and most distinguished in the history of that generation.

In the year before, an act had been passed by the General Assembly of Virginia to grant to all churches applying for it an act of incorporation. The Presbyterians opposed with bitterness the act and the principle of the incorporation of churches, but, with Mr. Henry and other able advocates, it was passed by a two-thirds vote. and, under the general law for the incorporation of churches, the clergy of the Episcopal Church petitioned the Legislature for an act of incorporation, which, under the supervision of Patrick Henry, was promptly passed by that body.

This act of incorporation was the first Constitution and the funda-

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mental law of the Episcopal Church in Virginia. The State provided the Constitution for the Church, defining all the functions and the powers and the limitations of the governing bodies. Upon the basis and under the authority of this fundamental law this first Convention was organized and clothed with power for ecclesiastical legislation.

The Church had been disestablished and the bonds between it and the State had been severed, never to be reunited; but we may detect, in this act of incorporation, the principle, in the minds of those early churchmen, that the State must be behind the Church as the fountain of its authority in its governmental capacity. The idea of the Church, as a voluntary spiritual brotherhood, under its Divine Founder, and under the authority committed by him to the spiritual sovereignty of His people; and the idea of the function of the temporal government as limited to the protection of the rights of property used for religious purposes, and to the protection of the constitutions and laws of the churches, in so far as they were not in violation of the civil law—these principles had not yet dawned upon the minds of the Church in Virginia, though many of its ablest members in the State believed them and were largely instrumental in the passage of the celebrated act of religious freedom, enacted, a few months after this first Virginia Convention adjourned, by the General Assembly.

As we look back, over one hundred and ten years, to that Convention of 1785, which is the mother of all our Conventions and Councils ever since, to the history that was behind it, and to the prospect that was before it, to the problems it had to solve and to the almost utter lack of light it had to solve them, we cannot but see in them a body of faithful and manly men. They issued an address to the members of the Church, and one expression in that address is significant as an evidence of the hold of the Episcopal Church upon the masses of its people, and of one cause, among others, of the tenacity of that hold. The glebes had not been confiscated, and were not until seventeen years later. In making their appeal to the hearts of the people they say: "Of what is the Church now possessed? Nothing but the glebes and your affections." They were certain that the people loved their Church. It might seem to one who is a stranger to the hold of the Prayer-book upon

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Episcopalians in their homes and in the sanctuary of worship, in the training of their children around the fireside, and in the house of God on Sunday; it might seem difficult to understand why these people clung to their Church with such tenacity and fidelity.

The Church was an Episcopal Church in name, but without Episcopacy. Confirmation was a law and a privilege and a duty, but none of them had ever been confirmed. Not one of these men who sat in that first Council had, except the clergy, conformed to that institution which they were taught was an apostolic right, and, by the law and the traditions of their Church, the door of entrance to the Holy Communion, which is the bond of membership in the visible and the invisible Church of Christ. From the year 1609 to 1785 they had seen thousands of men, of all classes, brave the ocean in their little ships, impelled by the love of adventure, in search of home, of freedom, of wealth and of power. Nobles and gentlemen had left their homes and their dignities in the mother-land, and had crossed the sea upon missions of duty, of honor and of humanity, but no Bishop had given up his palace for the dangers of the sea to visit these children in hundreds of churches in America. The missionary spirit in these successors to the Apostles was not adequate to the trials, the dangers and the sacrifices supposed to be involved in a work which, if they were loyal to the Church from which they received their commission, and loyal to Christianity, as they professed to believe it, they must have acknowledged and felt to be a duty. The Bishops had done nothing to make these Episcopalians love their Church. The devotion and fidelity of all orders of the ministry to their high calling are powerful factors in the strength of the Church among the people. Thank God, we live in an age when, as far as I know, the Bishops of the Episcopal Church are, as a rule, abundant in labors. They do not spare themselves. They are not cowards about work. But surely those sheep in the wilderness of our colonial Church must have had hard thoughts about their chief shepherds who ruled them, but never came to see them, and to greet them, and to bless them in the name of Christ and his Church.

And then what confusion and what inefficiency in the discipline of the Church over its clergy and laity at a time and under conditions when the lack of such discipline would be fatal to its progress and

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influence for good upon the people of this new land. Much of it we hear of the immorality and the worldliness of the colonial clergy, both from friends and foes to the establishment, may be only cimens of irresponsible and cruel judgments of persons utterly careless of investigating the facts relative to the slanders which they uttered and often put on record. Even in this generation, which had two centuries more of training in the Christian laws of social duty and brotherhood, how reckless are the majority of people in pronouncing judgments upon characters and upon questions where there is absolute neglect of the slightest attempt to ascertain the facts. Among clergy and laity, it may be that you and I have heard the evil report of our brethren retailed in a tone which savors of the disposition to evil speaking, which is the special characteristic of one phase of society, because it belongs alike to all, and which is the antithesis of St. Paul's definition of Christian love in relation to the control of our tongues, when we speak of each other, "it rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth." The vestries of an institution, especially in the rivalries of churches, are likely to exaggerate the faults and the foibles of its representatives, besides the Christian bodies of other forms of organization which had grown up in the colonies, who looked upon the establishment as a denial of their religious and political rights, there were a large body of the most intelligent members of the Church itself who had lost faith in the principle and in the practical working of a State Church. All these would listen, we may suppose upon the general basis of human nature, to the evil report of the colonial churches. And then there were no courts of investigation for ecclesiastical offences—no tribunals to which the clergy could appeal for their vindication, and to which the vestries could appeal for their condemnation. The Bishop, the centre of the disciplinary machinery of the Church, was thousands of miles away, knowing nothing, and, perhaps in some cases, caring nothing for the quarrels of ministers and vestries among a semi-barbarous people, as he chose to regard them. But, making due allowance for all these considerations to account for slanders and irresponsible imputations upon the clergy, there can be but little doubt that, while there were fervent men and spotless gentlemen among them, the general standard was low and cold and

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formal, and, as a class, they were powerless to remedy evils and to win the people. Many of them were doubtless adventurers and ecclesiastical waifs who sought a refuge in this new world when they were driven away from the old. The Bishop of Derry and others testify that several clergymen who had been driven out of their Dioceses found good livings in the American colonies.

So this little Convention of clergy and laity looked out upon the Church they were to represent and to legislate for, with the respect of the people outside of it forfeited, with the incubus of the establishment, or rather its traditions, arraiguing all other Christians against it, and paralyzed for manly self-exertion and Christian sacrifice by the long lethargy engendered by the nursing care of the State. But still they said that the people—the mothers and fathers—loved the Church. It must have been the Bible and the Prayer-Book in their homes, and taught to their children by godly mothers, that held their love and loyalty during those dreary years.

The Convention legislated for the support of the clergy by a system of voluntary contributions—the first legislation upon that principle in the Episcopal Church—a long step in its emancipation from bondage and in assuming its place beside the great Protestant Churches upon the continent of America. It also passed laws for the discipline of its clergy, and it elected a Standing Committee.

It seems that a Standing Committee has its origin in the conception and the recognition of the principle that the people constitute the governing power in the Church. The legislative power is exerted by the people through the Convention which they elect to represent them. The Convention is composed of the clergy and laity as representatives of the body of the Church, and, as coming from the people, they elect the Bishop, and the Bishop, through them, is created by the people. The Standing Committee is elected by the Convention to discharge certain judicial and executive functions in co-ordination with executive and judicial function in the Episcopate. The Episcopate is alone as the clergy are alone, only in the discharge of ministerial and spiritual functions and duties. They both come from the people and they exercise governmental powers and functions as representatives of the people.

The difference between the governmental powers of the Bishop

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and those of a member of a Diocesan Convention, or of a Standing Committee, in relation to the sovereignty of the people from which they both come, is only a difference as regards the term of office for which the powers are confided to them. In the case of a Bishop the power is a permanent trust, confided to him by the people when he is elected by a Convention and his consecration is consented to by the people in all the Dioceses. In the case of a member of a Convention, or of a Standing Committee, it is a temporary trust and goes back to the people when the term of office in either case expires. This difference explains the principle underlying the constitutional provision for the composition of the General Convention consisting of co-ordinate branches: one a House of Bishops, representing the permanent trust of power from the people, and the House of Clerical and Lay Deputies, representing that same power, to be exercised during the term of the existence of the legislative body. When that term expires the power goes back to the people and comes from them again with each Triennial Convention. The power in the House of Deputies is direct from the will of the people every three years. They represent the changes in the popular will—the growth of ideas and principles in the popular mind. As such they are directly responsible, and therefore responsive, to the will of the people. They constitute the hand by which the will of the people holds and controls the supreme legislature. Therefore, co-ordinate power with the House of Bishops, which means not only power to originate legislation, but power to veto legislation coming from the other House, is confided to them by the Constitution. But, for certain judicial and representative functions, co-ordinate with the power of the Bishop, the sovereignty of the body of the Church needs a permanent organ for its expression and its application to government. In a Diocese, for these purposes the Standing Committee, elected by the Diocesan Convention each year, constitutes that organ. A Bishop admits a postulant for the Holy Ministry, but this is all that he can do. Before that postulant can become a candidate for Holy Orders he must pass the judgment and receive the consent of the Standing Committee. The same is true at each age of his advance from candidacy to Deacon's orders and from Deacon's orders to the Priesthood. At each stage the Standing

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Committee has the power to close the door of the ministry and to shut him out. Thus, for the creation of the ministry itself, the Bishop and the Standing Committee, representing the people, are co-ordinate powers in each Diocese. Again, for the creation of Bishops, upon the same principle, the House of Bishops and the Standing Committees in all the Dioceses are co-ordinate powers. As the Standing Committee in the single Diocese has the power to close the doors of the orders of the ministry, the majority of Standing Committees in all the Dioceses has the power to close the door to the Bishopric and to say whether or not a Bishop-elect shall be consecrated. In the interval between the sessions of the House of Clerical and Lay Deputies, every three years, the Standing Committees of the Dioceses constitute the permanent organ for the voice of the people in the creation of the Bishops of the American Church. Thus the will, the judgment, the religious principles of the people are kept in constant circulation through all the functions of Church government from the head and through all parts of the body. That is the governmental philosophy of the functions of the Standing Committee, and these principles found their earliest expression in the election of a Standing Committee by the Convention of this Diocese in the year 1785.

The theory running through the whole organization is that the spiritual sovereignty of the people is the source and the fountain of the governmental powers of the Christian Church. The American Church, in planting its organization upon that principle, separated itself from the Church of England by a revolution as complete, so far as its government is concerned, as that which separated the American colonies from the personal government of the kings of England, and erected them into a government based upon the popular will, as expressed in the election of presidents and legislatures and congressmen by the suffrages of the people.

The next Convention met in the following May, 1786, and elected David Griffith for their Bishop, and thus completed the discharge of their functions and asserted the doctrine of the American Episcopacy that Bishops come from the people, and in their functions of rule and administration are limited by and amenable to law, having its fountain in the voice of the people.

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Such principles, involving such a revolution in ideas of government, must have been growing a long time before these laymen and clergy expressed them in laws for the government of the Church. They had been convinced of their truth long before they formulated them into laws. The democratic principle in government had been growing in the colonies almost, we may say, from the landing at Jamestown. Held down by traditions, by law, by kingship, and by aristocracy, yet it was in the minds of men growing all the time, and the new land, with the ocean stretching 3,000 miles between it and the old country, where the kings and the aristocracies lived, was a good place for democratic ideas to germinate and to grow. God planted these people here, where the great Christian principle of the worth of that individual soul, of the liberty of each soul to approach God through Christ without the mediation of priesthood, or the intervention of caste, or the dominion of external authority over the conscience, where these principles of primitive Christianity, so long overlaid by the tyrannies of human powers and the night of human ignorance, might have a goodly soil and the free air of heaven to grow, and they did grow.

A few months after that first Virginia Convention of the Church adjourned, an act was introduced into the Legislature of Virginia for the establishment of religious freedom, and it passed on the 16th day of December, 1785. It was the first act of religious freedom that was ever passed in any legislative assembly upon the face of the earth.* Acts of toleration had been passed in England and New

*The celebrated Bill of Rights, written by George Mason, was passed June 12, 1776. It embodies the same principle as the act for the establishment of religious freedom, written by Mr. Jefferson and passed in 1785; but that was simply a declaration, which left the statutory provisions and Common Law doctrines concerning the Church unrepealed and unaltered. The last section of the Bill of Rights presents the principle of the right of all men to the free exercise of religion in a very striking way, and is as follows: "That religion, or the duty which we owe to our Creator, and the manner of discharging it, can be directed only by reason and conviction, not by force or violence; and therefore all men are equally entitled to the free exercise of religion according to the dictates of conscience, and that it is the mutual duty of all to practice Christian forbearance, love and charity towards each other."

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England, but toleration is not freedom. Toleration implies a right on your part to deny to me my freedom, but out of Christian charity and largeness of mind you sacrifice that right for my benefit, and as a concession out of your own goodness. Religious freedom is a different principle from that. As an act for the establishment of religious freedom, as defined in the preamble of the law, it was absolutely original in the annals of legislation.

Thomas Jefferson was the author of that remarkable document. It begins in these words: "Whereas, Almighty God hath created the mind free, so that all attempts to influence it by temporal punishments or burdens or civil incapacitations tend only to beget habits of hypocrisy and meanness, and are a departure from the plan of the Author of our holy religion, who, being Lord of both body and mind, yet chose not to propagate it by coercions, as was His almighty power to do: that the impious presumption of legislators and rulers civil as well as ecclesiastical, who, being themselves but fallible and uninspired men, have assumed dominion over the faith of others setting up their own opinions and modes of thinking as the only true and infallible, and as such endeavoring to impose them on others hath established or maintained false religions over the greatest part of the world and in all time." That is the beginning and this is the close: "That to suffer the civil magistrate to intrude his powers into the field of religious opinions and to restrain the profession or the propagation of principles on suspicion of their ill tendency is a dangerous fallacy, because he, being the judge, will make his opinion the rule of judgment, and approve or condemn the sentiments of others only as they shall square with or differ from his own; that it is time enough for the rightful purposes of civil government to interfere when principles break out into overt acts against peace and good order; and finally, that truth is great and will prevail if left to herself; that she is the proper and sufficient antagonist of error, and has nothing to fear from the conflict unless by human interposition disarmed of her natural weapons—free argument and debate—error ceasing to be dangerous when it is permitted freely to contradict them."

Then follows the law establishing religious freedom. There is something pathetic in the comments of the Rev. Francis L. Hawke

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in these noble words of Jefferson. They illustrate the domination of a personal prejudice overshadowing a broad and beautiful mind. Hawkes, who was himself a political thinker, would have been first to confess that Jefferson as a man of intellect and of genius for government was the most gifted statesman that the country has produced; but he listened to the ignorant clamors of ecclesiastics against the man who, as they supposed, had destroyed the Episcopal Church and deprived them of their livings. And then, without investigating the grounds, he had absorbed the traditional imputation upon him of the Federalists, that he was an enemy of Christianity. He was only following the example of many ministers of the gospel—good men of our and other churches—who have enjoyed the benefits and the blessings of religious freedom, of which Jefferson was the great champion, in reviling his memory.

The abuse that Jefferson received may have precipitated him into efforts, and sometimes a tone of bitterness towards the representatives of Christianity of his day, who in their lives and in their spirits were in too many instances a reproach to their profession. Whatever may have been his critical opinions upon the doctrines of Christianity or the history of the Christian Church—and upon these questions we have no reason to believe that he made the slightest claim to be an authority—we know this much, that he could not have gotten the principles of this act of religious freedom from any one of the prevailing schools of skeptical thought of the age in which he lived. The theories of government propagated by Rousseau were dreams of individual liberty, which have been proven to be in the attempts to realize them in the French Revolution, destructive of government and subversive of liberty and ruin to all human relations. Jefferson saw that as clearly as you do. He did not get his ideas from the positive philosophy of the eighteenth century, nor from the doctrine of that was materialism, and the outcome the denial of free agency and the assertion of the law of necessity; and if there was anything repulsive to the mind of Jefferson, it was that system of speculative thought represented by the higher forms of Calvinistic speculation. Unconsciously to himself, perhaps, he got the principles of religion from his mother who taught him the New Testament. Jesus Christ had said: My kingdom is not of

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this world," and had told Peter, who drew his sword in the garden of Gethsemane, "Put up thy sword; they that take the sword shall perish by the sword." Jesus Christ had said to his disciples, "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." The inspired Paul had said, "Neither circumcision nor uncircumcision," neither high nor low, neither affirmation nor negation, neither Episcopacy or non-conformity, "availeth anything but a new creature" in Christ Jesus. This is the fountain of religious freedom, and of spiritual responsibility to God, of each soul that is born into the world under the light of Christianity.

Who doubts to-day that the enactment of that law and the principles of that declaration of religious freedom were blessings to all forms of Christianity and to the propagation of religion in Virginia, and to the Episcopal Church more, perhaps, than any other? If it had remained an establishment it would have died. It was almost dead when the emancipation from the burden came. My friend, the honorable Mr. Venable, of Virginia, in an address on "Democracy in Virginia," after some kind and just words about the colonial Church, says: "In the established Church all friends of free government saw an opponent to every principle of enlightened freedom. Their hostility was not directed against the Church itself, so much, as against the power it drew from its alliance with the State." And those words are true. When Bishop Meade asked Chief-Justice Marshall for a contribution to restore an old church, he replied, "I will give you the ten dollars, but it is no use. The Episcopal Church is dead and cannot be restored."

There were many good men, perhaps the majority of the era of which I am speaking, who misinterpreted the providence of God in his dealings with the old Church of that generation. Men of means, who could support a clergyman from their own incomes, thought, when the revenues from the Church were cut off by the disestablishment, that hope was gone. And when the glebes were confiscated they concluded that the end had come. Preposterous conclusion; for the glebes under the new state of things would have cost the Church far more than they could possibly have contributed to its temporal welfare, and that was even then comparatively little, and now it would have been next to nothing.

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It seems to be the law of all revolutions, that we see the worst of them at first. We here thirty years ago thought that liberty and peace had gone from our Southern land. We have learned better day, and things are far better than we ever dreamed they would be, and doubtless better than they could have been without the tribulation of the conflict. All changes seem to tend towards disintegration. Seventy-five years ago Sir Walter Scott could not speak, without tears in his eyes, of the projects of the Liberals for reforming the corrupt Parliament and introducing a popular element in the corporations. He honestly believed that all honesty, loyalty and morality in England would be lost if his great kinsman, the Duke of Gloucester, should be reduced to the privileges of an ordinary citizen, and that when the King's right to lead a useless and licentious Court at Brighton was questioned by some "atrocious Radical" it was a fearful sign of the insubordination and depravity of the times. But the corporations of England are controlled by the popular element, and it is safe to say that the municipal government and the management of the business interests of the English people are equalled for wisdom and stability in the modern world.

The great reforms in England during this century, such as the emancipation of the Jews and the removal of disabilities imposed by the English Church upon the Roman Catholics and dissenters have strengthened and widened the spiritual influence of that Church. The Irish Church is free, and in my judgment the English Church will be free from the bonds of the State before another century has passed away; and when the emancipation comes, the philosopher of history will trace its genesis to these first Conventions of the American Church and the act of religious freedom of the Virginia Legislature.

I have taken you to some of the springs of the streams of our Church life and legislation in Virginia. I might point you to others which had a wide and beneficent influence upon the religious character of the Church and her people in Virginia, and upon the Christian civilization of the whole country. The legislation of those early Conventions announced the principles and laid out the lines upon which we have been building ever since.

The solicitude of the Church for the education of her children,

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and especially her sense of the importance of an educated ministry, appear in resolutions and provisions to that end in Conventions from 1786 to 1794; and after the dark, sorrowful years from 1812 on to the time of Bishop Meade and to the birth of our Seminary and our High School. They held the conception of the meaning of laws for the discipline of clergy and laity as designed to be obeyed and to be executed, and not as sentiments entombed in dead statutes, to be forgotten when inconvenient, or from favor, or upon the fallacy that the public process in the punishment of offences entails evil greater than their immunity from law—a pagan, antinomian, red republican conception of the meaning of law. Legislation expressing that principle appears in all the proceedings of the early Virginia Conventions, from 1787 to recent years.

I might point you to the stand that the Virginia Church has taken in the Diocesan legislation and upon the floor of the General Convention from the first, in 1786, down to our own generation, upon the principles of the Protestant Reformation in the sixteenth century and the churchmanship of the New Testament in the first century. God grant that no bribes of the world, no clouds of ignorance, no illusions of human nature may tempt her to leave her foundations upon the rock of a free gospel and the Living Word and build it upon the sands of human traditions.

It has not been my purpose in this address to speak of the founders or even allude to the names that adorn and illustrate the history of our Church life and legislation in Virginia—of Hunt and Whittaker in 1609 and 1612 and 1620, of Jarrett and Buchanan in 1750 and 1790, and of that band of forgotten heroes of our faith, clergymen and laymen, whose names have dropped out of the records and memories of men, but are not forgotten by Him, the Head and Bishop of souls, who holds in His memory every brave sacrifice, every faithful performance of duty, every true word spoken, and every true life lived for Him, and in the love of humanity, for whom He died and for whom He lives forever. I might have spoken of your Bishops—of Moore, so loving in Christ and for Christ, and out of the fountain of his love bringing the streams of hope and revival to the scattered flocks and the desolated churches in Virginia. Of Meade, so firm and gentle, so brave and strong with men, so humble

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and childlike with God; a man of truth, a man of duty, a goodly gentleman and soldier of Christ whose memory, for our children's sake, we must keep green forever. Of Johns, whose grace and fervor and abundant labors are still fresh in the memory of the present generation. Of Sparrow, whose name we place in the front-rank of Christian philosophers and thinkers; our teacher, whose memory to us, who sat at his feet and learned of him in the happy years of our seminary life, comes to-day with gratefulness to God for so good a gift to our generation. I could not close my address without a mention of these names as specimens of many others, of clergy and laity, which will always live upon the pages of the history of the Church in Virginia. My time has gone and I will not keep you longer from the duties of legislation in the Council for which you are assembled.

For ten years I was a helper and a fellow-worker with your Bishop in his sacred duties as Chief Shepherd of your churches and congregations. I have received gracious welcome and kindness in your sweet homes, and have laid my hands in Confirmation upon the heads of your precious children and of many, so many, of whom you love. I cannot forget this, and I may venture to hope that sometimes you will think of it too, and when the thought comes to you, that you will ask God's blessing upon the work He has given me to do in that sister Diocese which is bound to you by all the living ties of a common family life, and which shares with you the memories, the principles, the hopes and the inspirations for the future which come to us from our common history in the past.

To my dear brethren, the Bishop and the Assistant Bishop of Virginia, I extend my loving congratulations on this the anniversary of the hundredth Council of your Diocese. To my friends of the clergy, than whom I know of no body of men more devoted and more self-sacrificing in the work of the Christian ministry, I must say in a word what has helped me in my own ministry, and I humbly hope it will help you as you go on again to bear the burden and heat of the day in the work God has given you in the fields of your Diocese. You must preach the gospel—not something suggested by it germane to it, but the gospel itself. That is what men want and

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that is what they will listen to. You must preach the doctrines of Christianity as the foundation of the ethics of Christianity. If you preach the ethics without the facts and the doctrines, your people will lack a foundation for their faith and will be swept from their moorings when the floods come in, and the floods are always coming. You must be patient with men as you preach to them. If they will not listen, if they will not be won, if they seem to you to be the victims of inveterate illusions and delusions that hide the gospel from them, still you must be patient. You must remember the lessons we have been learning from the history of the Church in Old Virginia—lessons of tolerance, lessons of human and of Christian Brotherhood under all variations of opinions and ecclesiastical forms. You must remember that God made men's minds free for the discipline of their souls, and for their education in the knowledge of Him and His salvation. You must be patient with them, as God is patient with you and with all his wandering children in the midst of this naughty world.

You must think of the tradition which comes out of the twilight of history, from the noblest figure that is portrayed in the first book of your old Bibles. The touching tradition is this: "When Abraham sat at his tent-door, waiting to entertain strangers, he espied an old man, stooping and leaning on his staff, weary with age and travel coming towards him. He received him kindly, washed his feet and provided supper, but observing that the man ate and prayed not, nor begged for a blessing on his meat, asked him why he did not worship the God of Heaven? The old man told him that he worshipped fire only, and acknowledged no other God; at which answer Abraham grew so zealously angry that he thrust the old man out of his tent and exposed him to the terrors of a wild night. When the old man was gone, God called Abraham and asked him where the stranger was; he replied, 'I have thrust him away because he did not worship Thee;' and God answered him, 'I have borne with him these hundred years, though he dishonored me, and couldst thou not endure him for one night when he gave thee no trouble?' Upon this, saith the story, Abraham fetched him back again and gave him hospitable entertainment and wise instruction. Go and do thou likewise, and thy charity will be rewarded by the God of

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Abraham." My brethren of the ministry, we must be patient with men as God is patient with us.

And you, my brethren of the laity, must remember that the Church is yours, that your ministers come from you, and under God you have placed them as watchmen and stewards and messengers to your souls. You must take care of them. By your sacrifice you must lift them above care—anxious care for themselves and their families—that they may be free to give all their powers and faculties to your service for Christ's sake. You must pray for them, and in answer to your prayers the lambs of your flocks will be gathered into the folds of your churches, and those that are out of the way will be won to come home again, and the waste places of your Virginia will be built up again, and the great gospel will have free course to the hearts of your people throughout all your borders.

God bless you. God bless the old Church in the three Virginias. God bless it, and keep it pure in all the Dioceses of our great, our common, our beloved country.

REPORTS OF PROFESSORS OF THE SEMINARY.

REPORT OF THE DEAN.

To the Trustees of the Theological Seminary of Virginia :

As Dean of the Seminary I would report that the present session has been a satisfactory one. I think there has been an unusual spirit of study and devotion among the students.

During the first part of the session I met the *Senior Class* in Hebrew in the prophecies of Isaiah, until Prof. Wallis took them off my hands.

The *Middle Class* has studied in Hebrew with me, this session, the books of Jonah, Joel and Malachi, and the Messianic and other Psalms.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

J. PACKARD.

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REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF SYSTEMATIC DIVINITY AND
HOMILETICS.*To the Board of Trustees of the
Theological Seminary of Virginia :*

The Professor of Systematic Divinity respectfully submits the following report of the studies pursued in his classes during the current session:

The *Junior Class*, for part of the session reciting once a week, have studied Chadbourne's Natural Theology, and have passed their examination on it.

The *Middle Class*, reciting five times a week, have studied Butler's Analogy, my outlines of Theology, with Knapp as reference; in connection with this, a study of the doctrinal contents of the Epistles of New Testament. The Analogy has been finished with examination, and they are in review of the remaining work. To these have been added, during part of the session, recitations twice a week, as in connection with the issues of the day, "Mead's Supernatural Revelation." Also Essays in Systematic Divinity and exercises in the construction of sermons.

The *Senior Class*, with three recitations per week and the Wednesday evening exercises, have studied the Articles with Boulton, with references to Burnett and Browne. They have also, in Natural Theology, studied "Hopkin's Outline Man," and Homiletics, in Dr. Broadbent's Book with exercises.

I have also gone over with this class, the history of the Prayer-Book, as to its sources, material, as also its changes in the Church of England and in this country, using Dr. Butler's History, Canon Barry's Student's Prayer-Book, and the more elaborate work of Blakeney, in the way of reference. Along with this, a course of lectures on Liturgics, and one on Christian Ethics.

As additional, to the ordinary course, I have given to this class, with the usual text-books, instruction in Church Polity and Pastoral Theology.

C. WALKER.

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REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF ECCLESIASTICAL HISTORY AND
CANON LAW.

Owing to a prolonged illness in the summer I was unable to return to my professional duties until January, 1895, and by the kindness of the Trustees, my classes were taught by others until that late. I desire to express most earnestly my appreciation of the generosity of the Trustees in prolonging my vacation in this way, and my sense of their considerate kindness in leaving it to me to decide when I was equal to resuming my tasks. I have reason to believe that, as a result of their indulgence, I will be able to begin my work next year stronger than I have ever been.

Some acknowledgment is also due to the kindness of my colleagues who have so cheerfully undertaken the additional work that my absence threw upon them. Of Dr. Walker, in particular, much additional preaching was required, and many demands were made. He has placed me under many obligations.

During the first month of the session my classes were taught by Mr. Wallis and Dr. Walker, and after Mr. Wallis was elected to succeed the late revered Dr. Nelson, they were taught by Mr. Clark. Under these teachers they made progress, which in view of the providential interruptions in the first part of the session, was remarkably creditable to the classes and to their instructors. When I returned I found that the Seniors had completed the second volume of Perry, the Middle Class had gone through the second volume of Smith's Ecclesiastical History, and the Juniors had finished the course in Old Testament History. The examinations on all these portions of the course were conducted by Mr. Clark.

Since that time I have carried the classes through the curriculum that is outlined in the catalogue. The only change that I have made is to substitute for Fisher's History of the Christian Church, the same author's History of the Reformation, which gives a fuller account of the era that we studied in the former volume.

I have been greatly assisted in my work by the improvements in the library. The essays of the students have shown that they have availed themselves more largely of its resources than they were able to do in the past.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. GRAMMER.

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ABSTRACT OF ANNUAL REPORT TO TRUSTEES (1895).

*Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D.,**President of the Board of Trustees:*

RT. REV. AND DEAR SIR:—As Principal of the Episcopal High School, I have the honor to submit the following report:

The whole number of pupils, including nine day scholars, entered this session is one hundred—fifty-seven being from Virginia and West Virginia. The session has been a fortunate one as to health and in respect to conduct and diligence. I have never known a better tone among the boys, nor found them more amenable to control and to good influences. Nineteen clergymen's sons have been received.

The agencies and influences in behalf of the Christian nurture of my charge during the past session, in so far as exercised by myself and my co-workers in the school, have been as before. Beyond this, the aid of Mr. J. S. Alfriend, of the Seminary Middle Class, who has had charge of our Friday night devotional meeting, has been most acceptable. Of his valuable services and of those of my faithful corps of assistants I desire to record grateful appreciation. The number of communicants among the boys, including a class of eight recently confirmed, is forty-one.

As respects clergymen, owing to the death, Oct. 25, of the Rev. Kinloch Nelson, D. D., and the reduced strength otherwise of the Seminary Faculty, we have been this session without most of the help common for so many years—help which we expect, however, hereafter to be again able to secure.

The loss to the school of Dr. Nelson, its faithful and beloved pastor for eighteen years, demands more than a passing record. His stated ministrations here included a monthly Sunday night service and sermon, a monthly meeting with the boy communicants, a weekly night service during Lent, and the examination and admission of candidates for confirmation. His informal care of the spiritual interests of his charge was in value scarce inferior to his regular offices. It is not easy to imagine a man better fitted for such a position. His feeling toward boys and his knowledge of them were

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remarkable, and the mingled tenderness and dignity of his nature were at once recognized by them. He was an expert in base ball and foot ball, a frequent umpire or referee, and, without sharing them, such an unaffected lover of these and kindred sports that interest on his part in this important element in boys' life was always secure, and the fact that it was so increased his influence. He possessed in an extraordinary degree their confidence and affection; a modest testimonial of which in the shape of a tablet in the School Chapel, where he so long ministered, has just been erected.

Respectfully yours,

L. M. BLACKFORD.

RICHMOND, VA., APRIL 30TH, 1895.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.:

My Dear Bishop,—My report for the past year is: Baptisms, infants 1, adults 1. Funerals, 1. Number of services, 225.

Expenses,	\$128 02
Paid Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Society,	209 50

Total collected for Diocesan Missions,	\$337 52
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Respectfully submitted,

EVERARD MEADE, *Evangelist*.

RICHMOND, VA., MAY 7TH, 1895.

To the BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA:

My Dear Bishop,—In St. Mark's Church, Richmond, at the request of the Vestry, I officiated for about two months, during the illness of its rector. For several months I have been officiating, by consent of the rector of the parish, Rev. Mr. Randolph, and at the request of the congregation, at Epiphany Chapel, Barton Heights, near Richmond, and at other churches, &c.

D. F. SPRIGG.

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*Secretary's Report of the Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary,
May, 1894, to May, 1895.*

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., President *ex-officio*:

The close of another year of busy work, accomplished by the "Virginia Branch," is here presented in this fifth annual report of money, which has been widely distributed, and of boxes which have been chiefly sent within our own Diocese, in many cases turning *positive want* into solid comfort, and enabling the missionaries to stand true to their field of labor. If the *sole* idea of the Auxiliary was to contribute money and boxes to missions, *that* would depend on the fluctuating conditions of the financial world, and the troublous times of the past year would seriously have affected our missionary work, but *prayer* and *interest* and education in missionary knowledge do not appear in any *written* report, yet show themselves in many tangible ways, and have done much to *increase* missionary gifts. One of the most encouraging features of the year has been a large accession of new members to *parish lists*, and the organization of ten new Branches, for each new Branch, means another link in the great chain of human interest and sympathy, which is binding the women of Virginia with its triple cord of *love* and *prayer* and *service*, so that our foundations, "built upon the Chief Corner Stone," have been broadened and our efficiency increased by bringing the women, in widely scattered parishes of the Diocese, into closer relation by the unifying principle of a common interest in, and united effort for, the missionary work of the Church. Each annual meeting has proved the rallying ground of the working forces of the Branch, as they met to plan future work, or better organization, or "pour united prayer" for a Pentecostal baptism, while they caught inspiration and enthusiasm to thrill and vitalize flagging zeal. Having reached, as an organization, one of the mile-stones along the line of *progressive* and *aggressive* effort, it is well to take an object-lesson from the past, to learn what may help in the future, and answer by facts and figures the question, "Is the Woman's Auxiliary a power for good?" The statistics gathered from the reports of five years show a *clear gain* in *missionary giving*, while the *parish* has not suffered nor the fears of

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the doubting been realized. In June, 1890, Bishop Whittle appointed two officers to organize the "Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary," with these results: 1st. Annual meeting, 1891, seventeen Branches report in boxes and money, \$4,000; distributed to *foreign, domestic* and *diocesan* work. 2d. 1892, thirty-one Branches and eleven Juniors, \$5,300; then came division, by which Virginia lost one-half in numbers and resources, yet in 1893, to the credit of the Branches be it said, through *their* zeal they report from seventeen Branches and five Juniors, \$4,460. In 1894, financial depression caused pressing *parish needs*, yet from twenty-two Branches and five Juniors, the figures stand \$3,900, and now in 1895, from twenty-six Branches and five Juniors \$3,889.13, and this amount from one less than one-third of the parishes in the Diocese. Total (in five years), \$22,534.13! Allowing for all errors in reporting money formerly sent through other channels or *other* mistakes, yet these figures emphasize the *fact* of *positive* gain, for the missionary work of the Church, of at least \$10,000 over former contributions, and represents, in most cases, the consecrated money of "*self-denial*." LET IT BE DISTINCTLY UNDERSTOOD that the money above reported does *not* pass through the hands of the Diocesan officer, but is sent *direct* from each branch to the respective treasurers of the Board of Missions or to the missionary *himself*. If asked "how can these things be?" the answer is simply this: By the *power* of united effort; by systematic giving; by an intelligent knowledge of missions; above all by "unceasing" prayer for missions, so developing the highest idea of the Auxiliary spirit, and bringing the reflex benefit to each member; for out of our ranks has gone one woman to the foreign field and two others are now ready to go. The inspiration of Divine *fellowship* and the *economy* of force, in association with others to whom they are allied in the Auxiliary, and again through them to the great Church, prove potent factors in the Virginia Branch, which is only the organized expression of the missionary work of the Church-women of Virginia. The Auxiliary teaches that parish interests should not exclude missionary zeal, while *she* learns that *her* missionary zeal must not be blind to parish needs; that the centripetal and centrifugal forces of united action, being equal, she is ever going *out* to the world—yet again drawn *home*, like the planet, as

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we revolve 'round the centre of *our* system and the source of our power, the "*Sun of Righteousness*."

While the greater number of boxes have been sent to those who earn them by so much self-denying labor in the three Virginias, yet several have been sent to missions and missionaries *south* and *west*, even to Alaska. The money has been generously distributed to work in Brazil, China, Africa, Japan and Cuba. The Junior Branches *united* in sending Christmas boxes to 700 children in seven Indian missions, under Rev. Mr. Gilfillan, Minn., and turning to *Virginia* we see diocesan work largely helped in every way, and again and again have the Branches contributed to building, repairing or furnishing mission churches in the Diocese. This report would seem unfinished if we did not gratefully record the continued and active interest of our Bishop and Assistant Bishop, who have helped to make the work only a pleasure.

Foreign Missions, . . .	\$1,050 65	
Domestic Missions, . . .	570 78	
Diocesan Missions, . . .	663 09	
Value of boxes, . . .	929 61	
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Total, . . .		\$3,214 13
Junior Auxiliary—		
Foreign Missions, . . .	\$204 00	
Domestic Missions, . . .	107 20	
Diocesan Missions, . . .	84 90	
Value of boxes, . . .	263 90	
Babies' Branch, . . .	15 00	
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		\$ 675 00
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Total, . . .		3,889 13
Additional, May 14th, . . .		60 00
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		\$3,949 13

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REPORT OF SEMINARY MISSIONS FOR YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1895.

NAMES OF MISSIONS.	Baptisms.	Confirmations.	Communicants.	S. S. Teachers.	S. S. Scholars.	Contributions.
alexandria R. R.		10		2	40	\$ 96 00
ington	9	10	24	6	50	207 06
ley's Cross Roads	11	10	26	4	35	145 25
lin Springs				5	22	35 00
ored Missionary, Alexandria			16	7	60	
ipel Good Shepherd, Colored	8	4	17	7	75	9 53
manuel Sunday-school, white				8	55	114 08
oveton			7	4	15	14 46
wardsville			16			11 24
ngley	6	1	43	6	34	278 15
iconia	1		8	7	75	45 70
e Hill			2	2	15	
ron	13		22	5	45	31 34
est End	7		35	8	70	30 00
Totals	55	35	216	71	591	\$1,017 81

SAMUEL A. WALLIS,
Rector of Seminary Missions.

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 DEACONS ORDAINED SINCE COUNCIL—THEIR CURES AND
 POST-OFFICES.

Rev. Henry F. Kloman, Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax
 county, *Accotink*.

Rev. George Otie Meade, *Keswick*.

Rev. Edward Arthur Temple, churches at Middletown, White
 Post and *Front Royal*.

 GENERAL SUMMARY.

Bishops,	.	.	.	.	.	2
Clergy,	.	.	.	.	.	75
Adult baptisms,	.	.	.	.	292	
Infant baptisms,	.	.	.	.	542	
					<hr/>	834
Communicants,	.	.	.	.	.	9,777
Sunday-school teachers,	.	.	.	.	.	942
Sunday-school scholars,	7,769
Confirmations,	1,046
Contributions,	\$168,279 15

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LIST OF OBJECTS
FOR WHICH
Collections have been Recommended
BY THE COUNCIL.

- I.—Diocesan Missionary Society, in Advent.
Treasurer, Mr. JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Richmond*.
- II.—Foreign Missions, in Epiphany.
Remit to the Treasurer of the Foreign Committee, Bible
House, *New York*.
- III.—Disabled Clergy Fund, at Christmas.
Treasurer, Mr. WILLIAM H. PALMER, *Richmond*.
- IV.—Widows' and Orphans' Fund, in Lent.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.
- V.—Education Society, in June.
Rev. HENDERSON SUTER, D. D., *Alexandria*.
- VI.—Virginia Bible Society, second Sunday in November.
Treasurer, Mr. THOMAS F. MINOR, *Richmond*.
- VII.—Protestant Episcopal Church Home.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.
- VIII.—Endowment Fund of the Theological Seminary.

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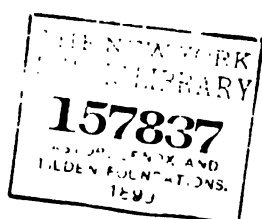
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RICHMOND, - - - - -	1899
CHARLOTTESVILLE, - - - - -	1900
ALEXANDRIA, - - - - -	1901



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Chichester, D. M., Zion Church, Fairfax county.
Clagett, H. O., St. James' Church, Loudoun county.
Coates, W. F., Trinity Church, Spotsylvania county.
Coles, Peyton S., St. Anne's Parish, Albemarle county.
Cook, J. W., Calvary Church, Page county.
Crabbe, W. R., Cople Parish, Westmoreland county.

Darracott, T. B., Immanuel Church, Hanover county.
Doswell, S. J., St. James' Church, Hanover county.
Duffey, E. S., Meade Parish, Loudoun county.
Dulany, R. Hunter, Trinity Church, Fauquier county.

Eastman, Frank M., Christ Church, Middlesex county.

List of Laity.

r, A. C., North Farnham Parish, Richmond county.

ank, S. G., St. Mark's Church, Richmond.

ugh, Randolph C., St. George's Church, Spotsylvania county.

r, James R., Grace and Trinity Churches, Whittle Parish,
Fauquier county.

ett, James M., Christ Church, Charlottesville.

on, John W., The Church of The Holy Trinity, Richmond.

ey, J. W., Montross, Westmoreland county.

kin, J. B., Fall's Church, Fairfax county.

on, George, Christ Church, Loudoun county.

, Wm. Ellis, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county, alternate.

n, Charles E., St. Paul's Church, Prince William county.

. Charles, Grace Church, Alexandria.

, Lane, St. Peter's, New Kent county.

o, J. C., St. James' Church, Richmond.

s, John, St. Paul's Church, Albemarle county.

ll, J. T., Calvary, Front Royal.

cin, B. A., Upper Truro Parish, Fairfax county.

hall, Wm. C., Leed's Parish, Fauquier county.

n, J. S., Emmanuel Church, Fauquier county.

aw, J. B., St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

anahan, S., Christ and St. Paul's, Culpeper county.

on, George W., Grace Church, Albemarle county.

oy, B. C., St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper county.

ray, Edgar, St. Paul's Church, Loudoun county.

onald, Wm. N., Grace Church, Clarke county.

le, David, Meade Memorial Church, Clarke county.

le, W. T., St. James' Church, Louisa county.

reiro, M. T., Grace Church, Goochland county.

re, J. S., St. John's Church, Richmond.

tt, N. B., Pohick Church, Fairfax county.

List of Laity.

Page, John, St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county.
Page, R. P., Cunningham Chapel Parish, Clarke county.
Pendleton, J. D., Christ Church, Orange county.
Pierce, R. T., Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.

Reid, L. W., St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.
Roller, O. B., Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.
Ruffin, T. C., Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.

Scott, R. T., St. James' Church, Fauquier county.
Smith, A. M., Christ Church, Frederick county.
Smith, E. J., Wickliffe Parish, Clarke county.

Taliaferro, Wm. B., Ware Church, Gloucester county.
Taylor, John M., Monumental Church, Richmond.
Temple, John, South Farnham Parish, Essex county.
Tompkins, Cornelius, Grace Church, Fauquier county.

Walker, G. W., Westover Parish, Charles City county.
Weir, Robert C., Trinity Church, Prince William county.
Wheat, John R., Grace Church, Richmond.
Williams, John G., St. Thomas' Church, Orange county.
Wilmer, Joseph, Emmanuel Church, Culpeper county.
Williams, T. E., St. Paul's Church, Hanover county.
Wirt, William, Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.
Woolnough, Charles, Greenwood Parish, Albemarle county.

RULES OF ORDER.

ORGANIZATION.

- 1st. The Council shall be opened each day with prayer.
- 2d. After the call to order no member shall remain standing, nor forward stand except to address the chair.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1st. After the organization of the Council the following order of business shall be observed:

The appointment of a Treasurer *pro tempore* when the Treasurer absent.

The adoption of rules of order.

The reading of the journal of the preceding day.

The reading of pastoral address.

The appointment of committees.

Report of standing committees.

Report of special committees.

Unfinished business.

- 2d. There shall be appointed by the President, not later than the second day of the Council, unless otherwise directed, the following standing committees, to consist of an equal number of each order:

A Committee on the State of the Church, to whom shall be referred the address of the Bishop on the opening of the Council.

A Committee on the Fund for the support of Widows and Orphans Deceased Clergymen.

A Committee on the Episcopal Fund.

A Committee on the Brotherhood.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Disabled Clergy Fund.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Bruce Fund.

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Rules of Order.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Missionary Society.

A Committee on Parochial Reports.

A Committee on the Admission of New Parishes.

A Committee on Elections.

A Committee on Finance, consisting of laymen.

A Committee on Clerical Support, consisting of *ten* laymen.

A Committee on Sunday-Schools.

3d. Immediately after the Reading of the Bishops' Addresses the Council shall proceed to elect the Standing Committee of the Diocese, the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and such other Committees as are necessary for the transaction of the business of the Diocese until the next annual meeting of the Council.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1st. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, and if in writing, be read by the Secretary, before debate.

2d. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed in possession of the Council, but may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before amendment or decision with the consent of the second.

3d. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any member require it.

4th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted under amendment as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

5th. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a certain day, to commit or to report, which several motions shall have precedence in the order enumerated.

6th. The previous question shall be admitted only when carried by a majority of the members present; it shall be in the form "Shall the main question now be put?" and until decided the amendment are precluded.

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7th. A motion to adjourn, or to lay on the table, shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

8th. When a member desires to speak in debate, or present any matter to the Council, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personality.

9th. If any member transgresses the rules of the Council the President shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately take his seat unless permitted to explain. If the ruling of the President be appealed from, the Council shall decide the appeal without debate.

10th. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

11th. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question without leave of the Council.

12th. The vote on all questions shall be taken by ayes and noes, whenever seven members require it.

13th. Any member may call for the division of the question where the sense will admit of it, but a motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible.

14th. Every member who may be in the house when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

15th. No member shall vote upon a question in the decision of which he is immediately and personally interested.

16th. Upon a division and count of the Council on any question, no member shall be counted who is not within the limits assigned as seats to the members.

17th. When a question has been decided by the Council or postponed indefinitely, it may be reconsidered upon motion made by a member voting in the majority; *provided*, such motion be made on the same or next succeeding day of the session.

18th. No motion or resolution appropriating any of the funds of the Diocese shall be adopted until it has been reported upon by the Finance Committee.

Rules of Order.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1st. No member shall absent himself from the meetings of the Council without leave, unless he be sick or unable to attend.

2d. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats without the limits of those allotted to the use of the members, which shall be appropriated to the accomodation of visiting clergymen and candidates for orders who may be invited by the Rector or Wardens of the church in which the meetings of the Council are held, under the direction of the President and Council.

3d. No spectators shall, during the daily sessions of the Council be admitted above or within the pews allotted to the members, and the Rector and Wardens of the church in which the sessions of the Council are held are directed to see that this rule is enforced.

4th. No rule of order shall be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST ANNUAL COUNCIL
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Protestant Episcopal Church
IN VIRGINIA.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, VA.,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 20TH, 1896.

The One Hundred and First Annual Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia met this day, at 10 A. M., in St. Paul's Church for Divine service.

There were present, in the chancel, Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, Rt. Rev. John B. Newton, Rev. P. P. Phillips, and the Rev. Edward Wall.

The sermon was preached by the Rev. Edward Wall, taking his text from 2 Corinthians iv: 5, "For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord."

The Holy Communion was administered by Rt. Rev. John B. Newton, assisted by Revs. P. P. Phillips and Edward Wall.

The Council was called to order at 12 M., by the Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, Bishop of the Diocese. The roll was called, and the following clergy answered to their names:

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RT. REV. F. M. WHITTLE,

RT. REV. JNO. B. NEWTON,

Rev. George C. Abbitt,

" C. E. Ball,

" J. H. Birkhead,

" W. W. Brander,

" E. B. Burwell,

" A. B. Chinn,

" William M. Clark,

" J. C. Cornick,

" E. W. Cowling,

" A. Crawford,

" P. LeB. Cross,

" N. P. Dame,

" D. C. T. Davis,

" J. S. Douglas,

" J. Y. Downman,

" J. R. Ellis,

" E. L. Goodwin,

" R. A. Goodwin,

" Carl E. Grammer,

" J. J. Gravatt,

" J. C. Gray,

" Berryman Green,

" Charles S. Harrison,

" S. G. Hepburn,

" Edwin S. Hinks,

" J. H. Hundley,

" E. V. Jones,

" H. F. Klonan,

Rev. J. D. LaMothe,

" William C. Latané,

" C. H. Lee,

" H. B. Lee,

" William B. Lee,

" Thomas D. Lewis,

" Thomas E. Locke,

" L. R. Mason,

" John McGill,

" John McNabb,

" Everard Meade,

" G. O. Mead,

" Preston Nash,

" George W. Nelson,

" F. W. Neve,

" J. J. Norwood,

" Carter Page,

" P. P. Phillips,

" Pike Powers,

" B. M. Randolph,

" Thomas Semmes,

" F. S. Stickney,

" E. A. Temple,

" P. D. Thompson,

" Cornelius Walker,

" Edward Wall,

" S. A. Wallis,

" S. S. Ware,

Rev. O. M. Yerger.

The roll of Lay Delegates, whose certificates had been sent to the Secretary, was then called, and the following Laymen answered to their names

C. C. Raughman,

I. M. Blackford,

Cyrus Rosseter,

K. B. Brooke,

Joseph Bryan,

D. M. Chichester,

George W. Macon,

James B. McCaw,

S. McClanahan,

B. C. McCoy,

William N. McDonald,

J. S. Moore,

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H. O. Clagett,
 William F. Coates,
 W. R. Crabbe,
 A. C. Fisher,
 Randolph C. Fitzhugh,
 James R. Foster,
 John W. Gordon,
 Charles E. Jordan,
 Lane Lacy,
 James C. Lamb,
 John Lewis,
 B. A. Mankin,
 William C. Marshall,
 J. S. Mason,

John Page,
 J. D. Pendleton,
 L. W. Reid,
 T. C. Ruffin,
 E. J. Smith,
 R. Taylor Scott,
 John M. Taylor,
 Cornelius Tompkins,
 G. M. Walker,
 Robert C. Weir,
 J. R. Wheat,
 John G. Williams,
 Joseph Wilmer,
 Charles Woolnough.

A quorum of both orders being present, the Council was declared organized and ready for business.

The Bishop then appointed the following Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates:

Rev. Berryman Green, Mr. L. W. Reid, and Mr. H. O. Clagett.

The Rev. J. Y. Downman moved that the Rev. Dr. Sprigg be ordered a seat on the floor of the Council.

On motion of the Rev. C. E. Grammer, it was—

Resolved, That the right of the Rev. Dr. Sprigg to a seat in the Council referred to a committee, to consist of two clergymen and one layman of legal profession, to report on Thursday morning.

The Chair appointed the following as the committee:

Rev. Carl. E. Grammer, Rev. G. W. Nelson, and Mr. John G. Williams.

On motion of the Rev. P. P. Phillips, it was—

Resolved, That the Rules of Order of the last Council be adopted as rules of Order for this Council—(with the following addition, offered by Secretary and accepted by Mr. Phillips):

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Rule 18. No motion or resolution appropriating any of the funds of the Diocese shall be adopted until it has been reported upon by the Finance Committee.

2. *Resolved*, That the Council meet each day at 9:30 A. M. for Divine service—to be followed by the regular business meeting 'till 1:30 P. M.—with a recess 'till 4 P. M.; the afternoon session to last from 4 to 6 o'clock.

3. *Resolved*, That the visiting clergy in the city, students for the ministry and others ministers of other churches in the city, be invited to seats in the church during the session of the Council.

On motion of Bishop Newton, it was—

Resolved, That there be no session of the Council this afternoon.

Mr. T. C. Ruffin presented a petition from the church at Barton Heights, near Richmond, and moved that it be referred to the Committee on New Parishes.

It was so referred.

Bishop Newton announced the following Standing Committees:

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Rev. William M. Clark,	Mr. James M. Garnett,
" H. Carmichael,	" R. Powell Page,
" E. L. Goodwin,	" John Page,
Mr. John W. Gordon.	

WIDOWS AND ORPHANS.

Rev. J. C. Cornick,	Mr. J. S. Mason.
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EPISCOPAL FUND.

Rev. C. E. Ball,	Mr. William H. Palmer,
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BROTHERHOOD.

Mr. John G. Williams,	Mr. Cyrus Bossieux,
Mr. Albert Baker.	

DISABLED CLERGY.

Rev. Carter Page,	Mr. William Wirt.
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BRUCE FUND.

Rev. F. W. Neve,	Mr. S. G. Fairbank.
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DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

Rev. John McNabb,	Mr. Edgar McCray,
" F. S. Stickney,	" G. M. Walker.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Rev. E. S. Hinks,	Mr. Charles Woolnough,
" S. S. Hepburn,	" S. McClanahan,
" Thomas Semmes,	" R. C. Fitzhugh.

NEW PARISHES.

Rev. James Grammer,	Mr. R. C. Wellford,
" H. B. Lee,	" D. M. Chichester.

ELECTIONS.

Rev. E. B. Burwell,	Mr. Joseph Wilmer.
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FINANCE.

Mr. Joseph Bryan,	Mr. L. M. Blackford,
" J. C. Lamb,	" J. R. Foster,
Mr. William N. McDonald.	

CLERICAL SUPPORT.

Mr. R. T. Scott,	Mr. W. B. Taliaferro,
" David Meade,	" J. B. McCaw,
" W. S. Barton,	" W. B. Amiss,
" W. R. Crabbe,	" N. B. Nevitt,
" J. M. Taylor,	" W. C. Marshall.

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

Rev. Preston Nash,	Mr. Thomas L. Alfrend,
" P. Nelson Dame,	" John Temple,
" E. V. Jones,	" Robert C. Weir.

Bishop Newton presented the reports of Mr. James M. Ball, Treasurer of the Trust Funds of the Diocese.

The following protest was then read from the Vestry of St. John's Church, Richmond.

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RICHMOND, VA., *May 5, 1896.*

At the regular monthly meeting of the Vestry of St. John's Church, held Tuesday night, May 5, 1896, the following resolution was offered and unanimously carried:

Resolved, That the Vestry of St. John's Church instruct its Delegates to the next annual Council, which meets on Wednesday, the 20th day of May, to make an *earnest protest* against the *present plan* for raising the fund for the expenses of the Diocese, and that they use every effort to have the said fund raised on a *percentage of the regular expenses of each congregation* in the Diocese, instead of the present plan of raising this fund by a *per capita* tax.

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JAMES T. ESTES.

Register of the Vestry of St. John's Church, Richmond, Va.

On motion of Mr. J. S. Moore, it was—

Resolved, That a committee, consisting of seven clergymen and eight laymen, be appointed by the Bishop to inquire into the expediency of raising the Contingent Fund by some other method than that now in use, said committee to report to this Council.

The Bishop appointed the following as the committee:

Revs. R. A. Goodwin, Pike Powers, P. P. Phillips, W. M. Clark, B. M. Randolph, John McGill, E. B. Burwell, and Messrs. Albert Baker, H. O. Clagett, R. T. Scott, J. S. Mason, G. M. Walker, J. D. Pendleton, John Page, J. S. Moore.

The Secretary then read a communication from the Secretary of the House of Deputies of the General Convention, in reference to proposed changes in the Book of Common Prayer and the Constitution and Canons of the Church, and moved its reference to a committee of two clergymen and one layman.

Carried.

The Bishop appointed the following as the committee:

Revs. J. Y. Downman, C. C. Baughman, D. M. Chichester.

Mr. Cyrus Bossieux read the report of the Treasurer of the

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Brotherhood, and moved that it be referred to the proper Committee.

Carried.

RICHMOND, VA., *May 19, 1896.*

To the Episcopal Council of the Diocese of Virginia :

GENTLEMEN:

It has become my painful duty to announce the death of one of the clergy since the last meeting of the Council, Rev. Henderson Suter, D. D., who was a member of the Brotherhood.

\$182.63 has been collected for the heirs of Dr. Suter, and other assessments are in process of collection. Amount on hand two \$500.00 six per cent. city of Manchester bonds, and \$635.38 in Citizens Bank of Richmond.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Treasurer of the Brotherhood.

Mr. L. M. Blackford read a petition from the Standing Committee of the Diocese in regard to purchasing a fire-proof safe, and, on motion, the petition was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Secretary read, at the request of the Bishop, a proposed change in Canon XI, and moved its reference to the Committee on New Parishes.

It was so referred.

The Rev. H. B. Lee read the following report from the Committee on Prayer-Book Distribution, and, on motion, it was adopted:

Your Committee to whom was referred so much of the Bishops' addresses of 1894 as had reference to establishing a Prayer-Book Distribution Society, beg leave to report—

- I. They earnestly recommend the immediate formation of such a society.
- II. That the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society be, and is hereby, constituted a Board of Directors for the same.
- III. That said Board be requested to organize as soon as practicable after the close of this Council, and to elect a separate Treasurer and General Agent for this Society. And when so organized to give notice thereof through the *Southern Churchman* and our *Diocesan Work*, and in such ways

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as they may deem expedient, requesting contributions from all who are in sympathy with this work.

IV. That the "Virginia Prayer-Book Distribution Society," which is to be the name of this Association, be added to the list of objects for which collections are recommended by the Council.

V. That to the list of Standing Committees provided for in the Rules of Order "A Committee on the Virginia Prayer-Book Distribution Society" be added.

H. B. LEE,
E. V. JONES,
J. M. GARNETT.

The Rev. Berryman Green, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates, then reported that the roll, as called by the Secretary, was correct, to which should be added the following names, viz:

Messrs. Peyton Coles, W. H. Carter, W. T. Meade, R. T. Pierce.

On motion, the Council adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.

The Council met for a meeting in the interest of Diocesan Missions. There were present in the chancel, the Bishop and the Bishop Coadjutor, the Rev. P. P. Phillips, the Rev. Dr. Powers, the Rev. N. P. Dame, the Rev. Dr. McGill, and the Rev. R. A. Goodwin.

After Divine service, conducted by the Rector of the church, the Rev. Dr. Powers read the report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA.

The Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia respectfully report that they have aided in the past year thirty parishes and parts of parishes, in sums ranging from \$50 to \$300, there being one of \$50, two of \$300, and three of \$250, and the rest chiefly in sums of \$150 and \$200.

This difference in the appropriations results partly from the condition of the rector, as married or single, but chiefly from the amount of salary promised by the Vestry, the appropriation being intended to supplement this amount so as to give the rector a reasonable support.

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The total amount received since the last Council, according to the Treasurer's Report, is \$6,915.15, which includes \$2,303.93 given by the children of Sunday-schools and families; the amount disbursed is \$7,029.24. The balance on hand May 13, 1895 \$2,442.39, which, with \$6,915.15 receipts, made \$9,357.54; from this \$7,029.29 disbursed being taken, leaves the present balance \$2,328.33.

As stated in our last Annual Report, our work covers nearly the whole diocese, the only counties receiving no help from the Executive Committee, direct or indirect, when the vacant parishes are filled, being Goochland, which is helped by the Richmond Convocation, Charles City, Prince William and Alexandria county. The work is growing upon us, not only in the number of parishes and parts of parishes aided, but in the amounts occasionally asked for and doubtless needed.

In the last seventeen years, during which the present Secretary has been in office, but one separate church and one parish have resigned permanently from our list of beneficiaries and become self-supporting. Not half a dozen reductions of stipends have been made by the Executive Committee, and in most every case they have been restored at the earnest request of the vestries. Two voluntary reductions have been made by rector and vestry themselves—the one of \$100 and the other of \$25, and these still continue.

To give an idea of the condition of our work, without going through the whole list, we give ten parishes, not by name but by number, as a specimen of the whole:

No. 1, receiving \$200 for sixteen years, with one year's resignation, restored next year.

No. 2, seventeen years, \$200, reduced for two years to \$175 and then restored.

No. 3, seventeen years, most of the time receiving \$100; reduced for several years to \$50, but now restored to \$100.

No. 4, fourteen years, receiving first \$100, then \$200, and now united with parish formerly self-supporting, and receiving \$250.

No. 5, \$200 for seventeen years.

No. 6, fourteen years; formerly \$200, now \$250.

No. 7, eleven years; formerly \$200, now \$250.

No. 8, thirteen years, \$250.

No. 9, seventeen years; first \$200, now \$300.

No. 10, seventeen years, \$200.

From time to time parishes once self-supporting apply to us for help. In the last two years we have added six new parishes or parts of parishes and five new names to our list of beneficiaries. What does this mean? It means rather that while the parishes and churches may have increased in numerical strength, they have been stationary or retrograding in financial ability, or at they have not done what they could for self-support. We believe that

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generally the people have done what they could. We are well assured that our country clergy are faithful, zealous, self-denying, hard working men, and deserve more than they receive. And while we believe that the laity are generally sound and devoted churchmen of the Virginia stamp, and doubtless think they are doing as much as they can for the support of their ministers, yet perhaps, if they valued the worship of the Church more and the offices which the minister alone can perform, and were less particular about the preaching, they would find themselves able to give more to have regular services, regular communion, regular pastoral work, and one with authority to perform the offices of baptism, marriage and burial.

With regard to the receipts of the Diocesan Missionary Society, while the people have done well, we think they can do better. In the Summary appended to the last Journal by the Secretary of the Council, he makes the number of communicants in the Diocese 9,777. If this is correct we may safely put the present number at 10,000. An average per capita of one and a half cents a week would be 78 cents a year, or, for 10,000 communicants, \$7,800 a year, and this would enable us not only to do our present work, but to extend it.

In this connection we beg leave to suggest to the Council that if they deem it expedient to have an Evangelist, they take upon the Council the employment and payment of such Evangelist, as they did prior to the Council of 1885, and leave the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society free to do their own proper work of helping the weak parishes and inaugurating new mission work in suitable places. We thank the people and the children for their contributions, and we bless Him who hath put it into their hearts to do what they have done.

We again urge rectors and superintendents to see that the Sunday-school collections of one Sunday in the month are given to the Diocesan Missions, and we recommend that the Sunday-school collections of the other Sundays, except in Lent, be given to Foreign Missions and that the people pay the necessary expenses of the Sunday-school. Also, in order to make the children not only give to Missions, but be interested in them, we suggest that one Sunday in every month be a Mission Sunday, and that at least ten minutes be given on that Sunday for an address to the children by some suitable person on Missions or the special mission to which they are contributing.

The last Council having referred to the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society the report read to the Council on "Church Finances," the Executive Committee referred it to a special committee, consisting of Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton, Rev. J. K. Mason and Mr. Thos. Potts, who made a report, which was read to the Executive Committee and accepted by them and ordered to be read to Council, along with the Annual Report of the Diocesan Missionary Society.

PIKE POWERS,

Secretary D. M. S. of Virginia.

Thursday A. M.

The report of the Special Committee on Church Finances is as follows :

Your committee, to whom was referred the report of " the Committee on Church Finance," made to the Council of 1895, beg leave to report :

We find in that paper some admirable suggestions, worthy of all commendation, which we cordially endorse and recommend to the thoughtful consideration of our church-people, viz :

(a) " The suggestion that the churches use wise economy in their expenditure of money for the advancement of their parish work."

(b) " Carefulness not to use methods for raising money for church purposes which bring reproach upon the church."

(c) " That the clergy be requested to teach their people the principles of Christian giving, and to enforce the practice of these principles, as they could teach and enforce any other principle of Christian living."

There are other matters in this report, about which there is and must naturally be differences of opinion, and as to which we do not deem it wise to make any specific recommendation.

In conclusion, we think the thanks of the Diocese are due to the committee, and especially to its chairman, for the very able and interesting report on its most important subject.

JOHN B. NEWTON,
JOHN K. MASON,
THOMAS POTTS,
Committee.

Addresses were made by Rev. N. P. Dame, Dr. John McGill, and Rev. R. A. Goodwin, the Speakers being introduced by Bishop Newton.

The offerings of the congregation were taken for the Diocesan Missionary Society.

The congregation was then dismissed, Bishop Whittle pronouncing the benediction.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

MAY 21, 1896, 9:30 A. M.

The Council met for Divine service. A sermon was preached by the Rev. J. Y. Downman from Phil. iv, 8.

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The Council was then called to order by the Bishop. The minutes of yesterday were read, corrected, and approved.

The following clergyman and laymen appeared and took their seats:

Rev. James Grammer, D. D.,

Dr. William Wirt,

Mr. George. A. Barksdale,

" J. L. Campbell,

" John Temple,

" Robert Beverley,

" Charles King,

Mr. James M. Garnett,

" J. W. Cook,

" Frank M. Eastman,

Dr. J. B. Hodgkin,

Mr. A. M. Smith,

" Walter Bozelle.

Bishop Whittle's address was then read by Bishop Newton:

BISHOP WHITTLE'S ADDRESS.

REV. AND DEAR BRETHREN:

Physical disability prevents me from doing more in this address than simply presenting such information in regard to the Diocese as the Canon requires me to lay before you.

During the past year I have visited and confirmed as follows; also preaching on most of the occasions mentioned.

1895, May 1—St. Timothy's, Herndon, confirmed nine.

May 2—Trinity, Manassas, confirmed eleven.

May 3—St. Paul's, Haymarket, confirmed ten.

May 5—Theological Seminary Chapel, confirmed nine.

May 5—Grace, Alexandria, confirmed ten.

May 12—Emmanuel, Henrico, confirmed two.

May 12—St. Philip's (colored), Richmond, confirmed five.

May 14—Edge Hill Memorial Chapel, Albemarle, confirmed six.

During the remainder of this week, I was in attendance on the sessions of the Council in Charlottesville.

June 14—Attended the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Bishop Payne Divinity and Industrial School, Petersburg. This Institution is quietly and successfully doing its good work, but is greatly in need of funds.

June 24-27—I was attending to various duties at the Theological Seminary.

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June 28—In the Seminary Chapel, after sermon by the Rev. E. L. Goodwin, admitted five members of the graduating class to Deacon's Orders.

June 30—Epiphany Chapel, Barton Heights, Richmond. Rev. D. F. Sprigg, D. D., presented, and I confirmed six.

July 7—St. James', Richmond, confirmed one.

July 28—In Calvary Church, Shenandoah, Page county, assisted by Rev. J. C. Wheat, D. D., and Rev. W. L. Gravatt, the former of whom presented the candidate, and the latter preached the sermon, admitted the Rev. Jno. S. Douglas, deacon in charge of the church, to Priest's Orders.

July 30—Barbour Memorial Church, Orange county, confirmed one.

September 29—In St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, after sermon by the Rev. John D. LaMothe, ordained Hugh McD. Martin, deacon; Rev. W. M. Clark, rector of church, presented the candidate.

October 11—The requirements of the Canon having been complied with, I gave my official approval to the establishment of St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond, as a Mission Church.

November 22—St. Stephen's, Culpeper, confirmed four.

November 24—Christ Church, Gordonsville, confirmed one.

1896, January 22—Mr. James T. Gray, for many years the faithful and acceptable Treasurer of the Diocese, resigned that office, and as provided by the constitution, Mr. Robert S. Chamberlayne was appointed his successor until this meeting of the Council.

March 15—St. Luke's, Richmond, confirmed six.

March 22—St. Andrew's, Richmond, confirmed eight.

March 22—Grace, Richmond, confirmed thirteen.

March 29—All Saints', Richmond, confirmed twelve.

March 29—St. John's, Richmond, confirmed thirty-eight.

April 5—St. James', Richmond, confirmed thirteen.

April 5—Christ Church, Richmond, confirmed seventeen.

April 12—St. George's, Fredericksburg, confirmed one.

April 12—Trinity, Fredericksburg, confirmed four.

April 13—Christ, Spotsylvania, confirmed three.

The Rev. J. C. Gray, of Fredericksburg, has a monthly service in this church, which has long been without a rector.

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April 13—St. George's Chapel, Rev. J. C. Gray, confirmed three.

April 17—Grace, Albemarle, confirmed ten.

April 18—Edge Hill Chapel, confirmed three.

April 19—Christ, Charlottesville, confirmed twenty.

April 19—St. Luke's Chapel, Charlottesville, confirmed eight.

April 20—Buck Mountain Church, confirmed eight.

April 21—St. Paul's, Ivy, confirmed seven.

April 21—St. John Baptist Chapel, confirmed seven.

April 22—Emmanuel, Greenwood, confirmed three.

April 26—Fall's Church, Fairfax county, confirmed three.

April 26—Vienna, confirmed three.

May 14, 1895—I consecrated Edge Hill Chapel, a pretty brick building, about five miles from Charlottesville, erected by the efforts of the ladies of the Edge Hill Female School. It is a flourishing mission of Christ Church, under the rectorship of the Rev. H. B. Lee. He says: "The Edge Hill Memorial Chapel was built as a free church. The other denominations sold their interest to the Episcopal Church. The building of this chapel and the work done there (like that at St. Luke's, another mission of Christ Church) all goes to show what the zeal and energy of consecrated men and women can accomplish—for it is mainly through their efforts that these two chapels have been built and the work carried on.

July 30, 1895—Consecrated Barbour Memorial Church, a pretty and appropriate frame building, at Barboursville, Orange county. Rev. J. R. Ellis, rector. This church reaches a population hitherto inaccessible to us, and starting with very encouraging prospects, I trust may prove a great success.

April 17, 1896—Grace Church, Albemarle county, a massive stone structure, erected about the year 1840, and which, through some defect in the furnace, or carelessness in its management, was burned in February, 1895, after being restored and greatly improved and beautified, was this day re-consecrated to the service of Almighty God. The money for this purpose was derived chiefly from a policy of insurance, thoughtfully and generously placed on the building by Mr. Chanler, an occasional member of the congregation.

The Central Convocation being in session, about a dozen ministers united with the rector, Rev. E. V. Jones, and a large and joyous

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gregation, in the impressive services, and a solemn, beautiful, and appropriate sermon was preached by Rev. E. L. Goodwin, a former rector of the church.

The building is one of the handsomest and most appropriate in the diocese, and minister and people are to be heartily congratulated on its completion.

POSTULANTS.

The following have been received as Postulants: Charles E. A. Marshall, Herbert Claiborne Page, James J. Chapman, Richard Lee Griffith.

CANDIDATES FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS.

The following have been admitted candidates for Priest's Orders: Herbert B. Nelson, Wm. Henry Osmond, Joseph Alex. Specht, C. Cowling, William T. Snead, Jr.

DEACONS ORDAINED.

1895, June 28—In Theological Seminary Chapel, Henry F. Kloss, George O. Mead, Edward A. Temple, James J. D. Hall, for Bishop of Alabama, Archer Borgher, for Bishop of Missouri.

September 29—In St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, Hugh D. Martin.

PRESBYTER ORDAINED.

1895, July 28—In Calvary Church, Shenandoah, Rev. John S. Hughes.

MINISTERS DECEASED.

1895, May 16—During the session of the last Council, the Rev. T. L. HYNES, rector of Beckford Parish, Shenandoah county, departed this life at his home in Mt. Jackson. Mr. Hynes having come from Tennessee, had been but a short time in the Diocese, and had never been my pleasure to meet him.

August 4—Rev. J. J. McILHINNEY, D. D., died at his home near St. Church, Fairfax county; aged 83. The deceased, a man of great learning, and of a remarkably gentle spirit, and modesty of

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character, had been for many years a professor at our Theological Seminary, but had retired for some time because of age and bodily infirmity. He is affectionately remembered by his many pupils in the Gambier and Virginia Seminaries.

Rev. HENDERSON SUTER, D. D., rector of Christ Church, Alexandria, departed this life the 25th August, 1895; aged 67 years. He was a native of Georgetown and an Alumnus of our Theological Seminary, and passed the whole of his ministry in Virginia, filling the rectorship of five or six churches, always to the satisfaction of his people. He was widely known throughout the Diocese, and wherever known could not fail to be admired for his abilities and learning, his earnest and devout piety and his sincere, honest and brave character, both as a man and a minister of the gospel. As one of the Examining Chaplains, Secretary and Treasurer of the Education Society, Trustee of the Theological Seminary and High School, and member and Secretary of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, all which places he occupied at the time of his death, he will be greatly missed for his business qualities and faithful attention to duty. I will only add that his death has deprived me of one of my most faithful and beloved friends.

The Rev. J. B. T. REED, died October 1, 1895, in Winchester, Va., the place, I believe, of his birth and life-long residence, in the 89th year of his age. Mr. Reed entered the ministry late in life, and was only in Deacon's Orders. He never had any charge, but exercised his ministry as opportunity offered and until prevented by age and infirmity.

LETTERS DIMISSORY GIVEN.

Jno. P. Tyler and Arthur C. Thompson to Southern Ohio; R. A. Castleman to Maryland; Andrew G. Grinnan to West Virginia; Z. S. Farland to Southern Virginia; Jno. K. Mason to Kentucky.

LETTERS DIMISSORY ACCEPTED.

P. LeB. Cross from Colorado; P. R. Nugent, Jno. J. Clopton, and Jno. McGill, D. D., from Southern Virginia; Joseph C. Jones from Maryland; Robert K. Massie from Shanghai.

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CLERICAL CHANGES WITHIN THE DIOCESE.

Rev. Thomas M. Ambler has resigned St. James' Church, Ashland; Rev. W. W. Brander has resigned Rivanna Parish and become assistant minister of Emmanuel Church, Henrico; Rev. James Grammer, D. D., has resigned Kingston Parish, Mathews county, and become Rector of Beckford Parish, Shenandoah county; Rev. Berryan Green has resigned St. James' Church, Leesburg, and become rector of Christ, Alexandria; Rev. E. S. Hinks has resigned Meade and Johns Parishes, and become Rector of St. James', Leesburg. of Deacons ordained, Rev. Henry F. Kloman is in charge of Potomac and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county; Rev. George O. Mead, Emmanuel Parish, Fauquier county; Rev. Hugh McD. Martin in charge of Buck Mountain Church, and assistant to the Rector of Christ Church, Charlottesville; Rev. Edward A. Temple is in charge of the churches at Front Royal, White Post, and Middletown.

LAY READERS LICENSED.

William P. Carter and George H. Burwell, Christ Church, Millwood; H. H. Williams, St. Luke's Chapel, Albemarle; Fred. H. Morse and Le Roy Baxley, Leed's Parish, Fauquier; John B. Lane, Kingston Parish, Mathews county; John Temple, Sr., and W. D. Carter, South Farnham Parish, Essex; E. O. Russell, Church of our Saviour, Loudoun; Charles E. Jordan, St. Paul's, Prince William; L. C. Carter and C. E. Cary, Abingdon and Ware Parishes, Gloucester; P. B. Ambler, Grace Church, Fluvanna; R. C. Well-d, St. John's, Warsaw.

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BISHOP COADJUTOR NEWTON'S ADDRESS.

Bishop Coadjutor Newton then read his address:

*To the Rt. Rev. Bishop of the Diocese of
Virginia and to the Clergy and Laity:*

In grateful remembrance of God's mercy and goodness, it is my great privilege to greet you, my dear brethren in the Lord, at the close of another council year, and to make my official report of work done from May 1st, 1895, to May 1st, 1896.

May 5, 1895—At St. Paul's Church, Richmond, I advanced to the priesthood Rev. Zebulon S. Farland; the sermon was preached and the candidate presented by Rev. H. Carmichael, D. D. He and Rev. E. Meade joining in the laying on of hands.

May 8—I presided at a meeting of "The Trustees of the Funds of the Diocese."

May 12—At Holy Trinity, Richmond, I preached and confirmed four.

May 15 to 18—In attendance upon the Council of the Diocese.

May 19, A. M.—At Christ Church, Charlottesville, I preached and confirmed nineteen; and at night, after sermon by Rev. J. K. Mason, I made a brief address.

May 22—I visited the Chapel for colored people in Manchester for Bishop Randolph, and preached and confirmed two.

May 28—At Immanuel, Hanover, I preached and confirmed five.

May 29—At St. Paul's, Hanover, preached and confirmed five.

May 30—At St. Martin's, Hanover, preached and confirmed two.

May 31—At "Fork Church," Hanover, preached and confirmed one.

June 1—At Trinity, Hanover, preached and confirmed one.

June 2—At "Church of Our Saviour," Hanover, preached and confirmed four.

June 9, A. M.—At St. Luke's, Albemarle, I preached and confirmed seven; at night I preached the annual sermon to "The Young Men's Christian Association" of the University of Virginia.

June 11, P. M.—Preached at Madison Courthouse, and again on June 12, A. M.; confirmed none.

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June 13, A. M.—At Orange Courthouse, I preached and confirmed even, nine of them being men. On the same day, at night, preached in the Chapel for colored people at Gordonsville, and confirmed one.

June 14—In Christ Church, Gordonsville, preached and confirmed even.

June 15—At Louisa Courthouse, preached and confirmed one.

June 23—I read service and preached at St. Andrew's, Richmond, for the rector in his absence.

June 25, P. M.—Preached at Lincolnia and confirmed seven.

June 27—I confirmed one person in the Chapel of the Virginia Seminary.

June 28, P. M.—At "West End," after sermon by Rev. Arthur Thompson, I confirmed eight, two of them being from Sharon.

June 28, A. M.—At the annual ordination service in the Seminary Chapel, I advanced to the Priesthood Revs. Thos. Semmes, A. G. Rinnan, E. W. Cowling, J. D. LaMothe; the candidates were presented by Rev. C. E. Grammer, he and Revs. E. L. Goodwin, F. Ringfellow, A. Lloyd, assisting in the laying on of hands.

June 30—At "Pohick Church" I preached and confirmed two.

July 7, A. M.—At Goochland Courthouse, preached and confirmed none; P. M., preached at All Saints', Goochland, and confirmed none.

July 8—At Scottsville, preached and confirmed one.

July 9—At Christ Church, Albemarle, preached and confirmed none.

July 10—At Bremo, preached and confirmed one.

July 11—At Columbia, preached and confirmed two.

July 28—At Immanuel, Henrico, read service and preached in the presence of the Rector.

August 3—At Calvary, Culpeper, preached and confirmed none.

August 4—At St. Paul's, Culpeper, preached and confirmed two.

August 5—At Christ Church, Culpeper, preached and confirmed none.

August 6—At Culpeper Courthouse, preached and confirmed eighteen.

August 11, A. M.—At St. Peter's, New Kent, I administered the Holy Communion and preached to a packed congregation; and in

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the afternoon preached to the same congregation and confirmed three.

August 13—I officiated at a funeral in Richmond.

August 18—At Leeds, Fauquier, I preached and confirmed four.

August 19—At Emmanuel, Fauquier, preached and confirmed one.

August 20—At Marshall, preached and confirmed two.

August 21—At "The Plains," preached and confirmed seven.

August 22—At Whittle Chapel, preached and confirmed none.

August 23—At "The Church of Our Saviour," preached and confirmed six.

August 30—Officiated at a funeral at Holy Trinity, Richmond, in the absence of the rector.

September 1—Administered Holy Communion at Monumental, Richmond.

September 4—Met the Committee of Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary and High School.

September 6—At Round Hill, Loudoun, preached and confirmed two.

September 7—At Hamilton, preached and confirmed two.

September 8, A. M.—At Goresville, preached and confirmed none; at night of the same day, preached at Oatlands and confirmed twenty-four. This is a remarkable work at Oatlands, accomplished in large part through the earnest work of one of our Seminary students, Mr. Baker P. Lee.

September 9—Assisted by Revs. B. Green and J. D. LaMothe, and in the presence of a large congregation, I laid the corner-stone of the new St. James' Church, Leesburg.

September 10—At Ewell's Chapel, preached and confirmed one.

September 11—At Aldie, preached and confirmed four.

September 12—At Middleburg, preached and confirmed three.

September 13—At Upperville, preached and confirmed seventeen.

September 15, A. M.—At Manassas, preached and confirmed five; P. M., at Fairfax Courthouse, preached and confirmed none.

September 16—At "Church of Good Shepherd," preached and confirmed seven.

From October 2 to 21—In attendance upon the General Convention in Minneapolis.

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October 31—Started to Lancaster, Va., on a visitation to the churches in the Northern Neck; on reaching there found that, from an unaccountable cause, neither of two notices of my visit had been received by Rev. E. B. Burwell, the rector of the parish, and no notice for services had been given, or preparation for confirmation made. I therefore preached on Sunday at Mr. Burwell's appointments at White Chapel and the Courthouse, and had to give up my appointments at other points in his charge.

November 6—I preached at Emmanuel, Richmond county, and confirmed one.

November 7—Preached at Warsaw and confirmed one.

November 8—At Nomini Church, Westmoreland, after sermon by Rev. E. Meade, I advanced to the Priesthood Rev. Austin B. Chinn, rector of the parish, Rev. Messrs. Meade and Semmes joining in laying on of hands, and Mr. Meade presented the candidate.

November 9—I preached at Cople Chapel, Westmoreland.

November 10—Preached at Yeocomico, confirmed five, and administered the Holy Communion.

November 13—Met at St. Paul's Church, Richmond, with the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary and High School.

November 14—Assisted in the celebration of a marriage in Richmond.

November 17—At Goochland Courthouse, preached and confirmed one. This was the second visit to this church within a year.

November 19—Preached at Grace, Caroline, and confirmed seven.

November 20—Preached at Port Royal and confirmed one.

November 21—Preached at Vawters, Essex, and confirmed four.

November 22—Preached at St. Matthew's, Essex, and confirmed one; and at night of the same day, I preached at St. John's, Tappanock.

November 23—Preached again at St. John's and confirmed two; attended by the Evangelist, the parish being without a rector.

November 24—Preached at St. Paul's, Essex, and confirmed two.

November 25—Preached at St. Luke's, Essex, and confirmed one.

November 26—Preached at Christ Church, Middlesex, and confirmed four.

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November 27—At St. John's Church, West Point, at 8 A. M., I married Rev. Thomas Baker, a former rector; and at 11, read service and preached.

November 29—I addressed a meeting of the various branches of the Woman's Auxiliary in Richmond, at the Monumental Church.

December 1—I preached at Monumental Church, Richmond; confirmed eleven, and took part with the rector in the administration of the Holy Communion.

December 8—I preached at Rapidan and confirmed none.

December 9—At All Saints' Chapel, Culpeper, I preached and confirmed one.

December 10—Preached at Hay Market and confirmed seven.

December 11—At Hamilton, Loudoun, second visit during the year, I preached and confirmed three.

December 12—At Herndon, preached and confirmed four.

December 13—At Chantilly, preached and confirmed three.

December 14—At Langley, Fairfax, acting for the Bishop of Rhode Island, I ordained to the Diaconate Mr. Thos. W. Cooke, one of the students of our Seminary. The sermon was preached and the candidate presented by Prof. Wallis, Rev. Dr. McGill being present and taking part in the morning service.

December 15—Read service and preached at Grace Church, Richmond, in the absence of the rector.

December 22, A. M.—At St. Paul's Church, preached for the rector. In the afternoon of the same day at St. James', Richmond, presided at Missionary service in behalf of Brazil Missions.

December 27—Acting for the Bishop of Southern Virginia, I confirmed a sick man in Manchester.

1896, January 1—Addressed the workers of the Holy Trinity, Richmond, upon the invitation of the rector.

January 12—I preached at St. Luke's Church, Norfolk.

February 4—Made an address on Diocesan Missions to the Rich-Convocation, at St. Mark's Church.

February 16—I preached for the rector of Christ Church, Richmond.

February 23—In the morning I preached at St. Andrew's, Richmond, and at night at St. Paul's.

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February 24 and 25—I conducted the mid-day services for men in Richmond.

March 1—Preached at St. John's, and confirmed a person, who having been called from the city, would not be able to be at the regular confirmation a few weeks later.

March 8—I preached for the rector of All Saints', Richmond.

March 9—At Grace Church, Charles City, preached and confirmed three.

March 10—Preached and confirmed one at Westover Church.

March 11—Rode with Rev. Mr. Cormick twelve miles to Mapsico, through hard rain, and found no one present and the church closed.

March 13—Preached at St. Paul's, Richmond, and confirmed thirty-one.

March 22, A. M.—At St. James', Warrenton, preached and confirmed fifteen; and at night, preached in the same church.

March 23—I preached at St. Stephen's, Fauquier, and confirmed ten.

March 24—At Grace, Fauquier, preached and confirmed one.

March 25—At St. Luke's, Fauquier, preached and confirmed one.

March 29—At St. Mary's, Goochland, preached and confirmed ten.

April 5, A. M.—I preached at Holy Trinity, Richmond, and confirmed twenty-nine; and at night preached at St. Mark's and confirmed thirteen.

April 7—At St. John's, King George, preached and confirmed ten.

April 8—At St. Paul's, King George, preached and confirmed ten.

April 9, A. M.—I preached at Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland, and confirmed none; P. M., preached at Oak Grove and confirmed ten.

April 10—In the morning I preached at Montross and confirmed none; at night preached at Cople Chapel and confirmed six.

April 12—On account of delay in the steamer on the Potomac, I reached St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, too late to preach, but at the close of the rector's sermon I confirmed fifteen; at night I preached at Christ Church and confirmed eleven.

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- April 18—At Harrisonburg, I preached and confirmed five.
April 19, A. M.—I preached at Mt. Jackson and confirmed none and at night preached at Woodstock and confirmed none.
April 20—I preached at Middletown and confirmed none.
April 21—At Winchester, I preached and confirmed fourteen.
April 22—I preached at Berryville and confirmed seven.
April 23—At Wickliffe, preached and confirmed none.
April 24—At Millwood, preached and confirmed one.
April 25—At White Post, preached and confirmed five.
April 26—In the morning I preached at Front Royal and confirmed twelve; and at night preached again in the same church.
April 27—Preached at Luray and confirmed four.
April 28—I preached at Shenandoah and confirmed five.
April 29—I preached at Lynwood and confirmed three.

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Visitations.....	100
Confirmations	446
Ordination services.....	4
Persons ordained.....	7
Other services	24

I cannot close this report without adding my firm conviction that the work in the Diocese is very encouraging.

Our brethren of the Clergy are earnest and faithful, and are doing all in their power to press forward the great work of the kingdom of Christ. The people, wherever I have been, have manifested the well-known love of our Virginia people for the Church of their fathers. The children, as the result of the Lenten offerings clearly demonstrates, show no little enthusiasm in their lively interest in Diocesan Missions. "The Woman's Auxiliary" and the "Brotherhood of St. Andrew" are rendering faithful and efficient service.

There are fields which could be worked to much greater advantage had we the money and the men to add to the force already in them. This is notably true of Loudoun, Fairfax, Hanover, and some other points in the Diocese.

Your faithful Evangelist has been most active and laborious, but

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ork to which I refer can only be done by men settled as rector-
stant ministers in the various fields.

I now, my dear brethren, thanking you for the kind considera-
ceived at the hands of you and your people during the past
and earnestly expressing the hope that we may all continue to
on in our dear old Diocese "in the unity of the spirit and in
bond of peace," I commend you to Him, in whose name and
whose divine guidance alone there is true success.

He who has promised to be with His Church even unto the
the world, be always with you, to give wisdom in counsel,
tness, sincerity, and faithfulness in every good word and work,
bove all, that charity which is "the bond of perfectness."

ELECTION OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese being
n order, the Rev. B. M. Randolph moved that the Secretary
Council be authorized to cast the vote of the Council for the
nittee of last year, which motion being carried, the following
men were elected as the Standing Committee of the Diocese
ensuing year:

Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D.,	Mr. L. M. Blackford,
" P. P. Phillips,	Col. Arthur Herbert,
" Berryman Green,	Mr. John R. Zimmerman.

Rev. E. V. Jones moved that the following be the Executive
nittee of the Diocesan Missionary Society for the ensuing year,
ere duly elected:

	Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle,
	Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton,
Rev. R. A. Goodwin,	Mr. William F. Gray,
" L. R. Mason,	" John L. Williams,
" H. Carmichael, D. D.,	" Joseph Bryan,
" William M. Clark,	" Thomas Potts,
" B. M. Randolph,	" G. G. Minor,
" Pike Powers, D. D.,	" F. D. Beveridge,
" J. Y. Downman,	" B. R. Wellford,
	Dr. John R. Wheat.

Rev. James Grammer, D. D., presented the report of the
nittee on New Parishes.

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The Rev. Carl E. Grammer, D. D., Chairman of the Committee to whom was referred the right of the Rev. D. F. Sprigg, D. D., to a seat in the Council, asked that his report be read before the report on New Parishes be acted on, which request was granted, and the report was read as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SEATING REV. D. F. SPRIGG.

The Committee to whom was referred the question of the right of the Rev. Dr. D. F. Sprigg to a seat in the Council make the following report:

Inasmuch as Dr. Sprigg is not a clergyman, canonically settled, or a professor in the Theological Seminary of Virginia, or a missionary within this Diocese and under its ecclesiastical authority, the simple question before your committee is whether he can be considered as entitled to a seat under the following proviso of Article II of the Constitution:

"Provided, That any such ministers who may have been so canonically settled up to the time of disability, but whom age or infirmity prevents from exercising their clerical functions shall be members ex-officio."

How are we to interpret the phrase, age or infirmity prevents from exercising their clerical functions? It may be said that it does not say, whom age or infirmity prevents from retaining the charge of an important parish, but whom age or infirmity prevents from exercising *their clerical functions*. It might fairly be asked whether a clergyman who officiates frequently in parishes and who thinks that he is entitled to a seat as a missionary, can be considered to come under this proviso, if the words are to be given a narrow interpretation.

But on the other hand the practice and custom of this Diocese have shown that no such severe construction is to be given to a provision that is meant to display consideration for age, and to extend a courtesy to those who have labored long in the vineyard, or who have incurred disabilities in the work.

There have been a number of cases in which retired clergymen have enjoyed a seat in this Council, on the ground of age or infirmity, when they still had the strength for occasional exercise of all their clerical functions, and were merely incapacitated from being rector of a parish. Our precedents and the spirit of the proviso both call for a liberal construction of the phrase, "whom age or infirmity prevents from exercising their clerical functions."

In the opinion of your committee, if a clergyman has been nearly fifty years in the ministry and alleges that age prevents him from continuing to exercise his clerical functions, since it prevents him from taking charge of a parish, such a testimony ought to be considered conclusive, and such a clergyman should be given a seat under this proviso.

But there is one other provision of the article that must be considered. It

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stinctly asserted that the minister must be canonically settled at the time such disability arises. The exact language is, "Provided that any such persons who may have been so *canonically settled up to the time of disability*, but whom age or infirmity prevents from exercising their clerical functions shall be members *ex-officio*."

Now, in the present case, it is nearly three years since the clergyman was canonically settled. It is clear to your committee that Dr. Sprigg has not been entitled to a seat in this Council unless he had a right to a seat in the first Council that met after he resigned his church. Unless he resigned because of his disability of age, it is impossible that age should subsequently entitle him to a seat. In the light of this explicit statement of the article, your committee who may be considered as appointed in pursuance of Canon xvi, which gives the Council a right to revise the Bishop's list of clergy entitled to seats, must say, with emphasis, that they do not see how the Bishop could be expected to place the name of Dr. Sprigg upon the list, as coming under the terms of this proviso. The Bishop could not insert his name unless Dr. Sprigg would make two statements; first, that age disabled him from exercising his clerical functions, and, second, that this disability arose when he was a settled minister. But suppose that Dr. Sprigg should now come forward and say that this disability arose when he was a settled minister and now prevents him from exercising his clerical functions, in that sense in which the terms have always been understood. In that case your committee think that he would be entitled to a seat. They have no doubt that his name would have been left off the list by the Bishop, if such a statement had been made or were now made. They do not think it possible that this Council would ask of one of the oldest and most honored clergymen of this Diocese any further evidence than his word. It is, therefore, the opinion that if Dr. Sprigg will make these two statements to the Council, he should be given a seat under this provision.

CARL E. GRAMMER,
GEO. W. NELSON,
JOHN G. WILLIAMS.

On motion of the Rev. P. P. Phillips the report was adopted.

Major John Page then moved that the Rev. Dr. Sprigg be given a seat in the Council; which motion was amended by Major R. T. Tamm, as follows:

Resolved, That this Council having heard from the Rev. Dr. Sprigg, are of opinion that the statements made, in their opinion, bring him within the principles announced by the special committee, through their chairman, Carl E. Grammer, and that the name of the Rev. Dr. D. F. Sprigg be added upon the roll of the clergy of this Diocese.

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On motion of Bishop Newton the rules of order were suspended, and Mr. R. S. Chamberlayne was elected Treasurer of the Council, in place of Mr. James T. Gray, resigned.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NEW PARISHES.

The report of the Committee on New Parishes, in reference to Epiphany Mission, at Barton Heights, was taken up; which report is as follows:

The Committee on New Parishes beg leave to report that there has been but one application before them, and that for the formation of a separate congregation within the bounds of Henrico Parish, known now as the Mission of the Epiphany, at Barton Heights.

The petitioners having complied with the requirements of the Canons, the Committee recommend that their petition be granted.

JAMES GRANMER,
H. B. LEE,
D. M. CHICHESTER.

WHEREAS, Section 1 of Canon X of the Constitution and Canons of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia enacts that, "whenever the members of the Church residing in a particular portion of a parish shall desire to separate from the parish of which they form a part, it shall be lawful for them to assemble and appoint a committee to take such means as may be necessary;" and

WHEREAS, The congregation of the Mission of the Epiphany, Barton Heights, Henrico county, Va., in compliance with the requirements of Section 1, Canon X, aforesaid, did meet and appoint such Committee, of which A. S. Groser is the Chairman, therefore—

The congregation of the Mission of the Epiphany, Barton Heights, Henrico county, Va., respectfully petitions the Council of the Diocese of Virginia, meeting in Alexandria, Va., May 20, 1896, to set apart said Mission, being a part of Emmanuel Church, Henrico Parish, as an independent church, and to be received in connection with this Diocese. The said Mission has a church, erected at a cost of about \$3,500, which, with the lot on which it stands, is entirely paid for. The property is believed to be worth about \$4,200. The church is now ready for consecration. It is located in the town of Barton Heights, one of the suburbs of Richmond—a prosperous, growing town, with a population of about 1,000, and continually growing. Up to two and one-half years ago the rector of Emmanuel Church, Henrico county, gave the said Mission one service each Sunday (at night) and occasional week night services. Becoming incapacitated by reason of his health, the Mission

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For some six or eight months had to depend on lay-reading, and from that time up to the present the rector of Emmanuel has been unable to afford the mission any material help. Under the care of a clergyman from Richmond, viz: the Rev. D. F. Sprigg, D. D., for the morning services on Sunday, the mission has not only kept alive, but has grown from fifteen to twenty communicants to some forty, and a congregation of forty and fifty to near one hundred. The mission feels that under a rector of its own, and resident among its people, the future is even more promising. Canonical notice has been given to the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese, also to Emmanuel Church. The consent of a majority of churches composing Henrico Parish has been given, the original of which are herewith submitted. Pledges have been obtained by which a salary of \$600 will be paid a rector, and we have the offer of a clergyman of this Diocese to accept the rectorship at this salary, elected. A Mission has been established at Highland Park, in our vicinity, from whom we expect \$100 additional per year, to be paid to our rector for services.

Respectfully,

THE CONGREGATION OF EPIPHANY MISSION,
per A. S. GROSER, *Chairman of Committee Appointed.*

The Rev. C. E. Ball moved to lay the report of committee in reference to the church at Barton Heights on the table. Lost.

The question was then put to the Council, and was decided in the affirmative by a vote of 39 to 29, and Epiphany Mission, Barton Heights, became a separate congregation.

Bishop Newton gave notice of a proposed change in Canon XI.

The Committee on New Parishes then read their report in regard to the proposed change in Canon XI, and which was adopted:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF CANON XI.

Strike out the word "sufficient," in the second line, and insert in its place the words "have satisfied the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese of their ability;" so that the Canon shall read as follows:

"When any number of persons, belonging to any parish or congregation, have satisfied the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese of their ability to hold a house of worship, and provide for the support of a minister."

The above change disapproved.

JAMES GRAMMER,
H. B. LEE,
Committee on New Parishes.

Adjourned until 4 P. M.

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The Council re-assembled, with the Bishop in the chair.

Rev. James Grammer presented the following report:

The Committee on New Parishes, to whom was committed the proposition made by Bishop Coadjutor Newton, to insert in Canon XI the words "seven hundred dollars" between the word "provide" and the words "for the support of a minister," recommend that the proposition do not pass.

JAMES GRAMMER,
H. B. LEE,
D. M. CHICHESTER.

This report was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Rev. J. C. Cornick made the following report on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund:

We have examined the within account and find the same correct, and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

JOHN C. CORNICK,
J. S. MASON.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BRUCE FUND.

The Rev. F. W. Neve read the report on the Bruce Fund:

Your committee beg leave to report that they have examined the account of the treasurer, and find that all expenditures are sustained by proper vouchers.

Receipts	\$544 30
Disbursements.....	403 76
Balance on hand.. ..	\$140 54

The invested fund amounts to \$6,650.00.

FREDERICK W. NEVE,
S. G. FAIRBANK.

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REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE.

The Rev. P. P. Phillips read the report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese:

The Standing Committee of the Diocese of Virginia beg leave to report since the last Annual Council (1895) the following persons have been recommended as candidates for Holy Orders—viz:

William H. F. Beckham,
Charles E. A. Marshall,

Willoughby N. Claybrook,
James J. Chapman.

The following for Deacon's Orders—viz:

Henry F. Kloman,

Hugh McD. Martin,
W. H. K. Pendleton.

The following for Priest's Orders—viz:

Rev. John D. LaMothe,
" John S. Douglas,
" E. W. Cowling,

Rev. Andrew G. Grinnan,
" Thomas Semmes,
" Austin B. Chinn.

Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Frank Rosebrook Spaulgh, B. D., Bishop-elect of Kansas; the Rev. Lewis William Burton, M., Bishop-elect of Lexington; the Rev. Gershom Mott Williams, M. A., Bishop-elect of Marquette; the Rev. Joseph Horsfall Johnson, D. D., Bishop-elect of Los Angeles; the Rev. Henry Yates Satterlee, D. D., Bishop-elect of Washington; and to the transfer of the Rt. Rev. A. C. Garrett, D. D., Missionary Bishop of Northern Texas, to be Bishop of Dallas.

The Committee, in the death of the Rev. Henderson Suter, D. D., in August last, has lost one of its most valued members. Dr. Suter had been a member of the Standing Committee since 1879. The Rev. Berryman was elected to fill the vacancy.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH PACKARD, *President*.

P. P. PHILLIPS, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

The Committee on the Disabled Clergy Fund presented the following report:

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We have examined the account of the Treasurer for the Society for the Relief of the Disabled Clergy and find it correct, and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

CARTER PAGE,
WM. WIRT.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EPISCOPAL FUND.

The Rev. Clarence E. Ball, from the Committee on the Episcopal Fund, made the following report:

To the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

Your Committee on Episcopal Fund would respectfully report that it finds the treasurer's report has been duly audited and approved by the Trustees of the Funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, and that the said report with their attestation is presented to the Council.

CLARENCE EARNEST BALL.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONTINGENT FUND.

The committee to whom was referred the matter of a change in the method of raising the Contingent Fund, reported as follows:

That this Council re-affirm its heretofore action as to the Contingent Fund of the Diocese; that it is a charge upon the parishes on the basis of one dollar for each communicant, and that this assessment should be collected in full, annually or quarterly, in such manner as the vestry of each parish shall deem best.

Signed,

PIKE POWERS,
JOHN PAGE,
J. S. MASON,
R. TAYLOR SCOTT,
G. M. WALKER.
J. D. PENDLETON.
WM. M. CLARK.
B. M. RANDOLPH.
H. O. CLAGETT.
P. P. PHILLIPS.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin offered the following minority report:

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The undersigned, a minority of the committee appointed to enquire into the expediency of raising the Contingent Fund in some other than the present manner, beg leave to report the following preambles and resolutions:

WHEREAS, We know of but two ways in which an assessment can be made for the Contingent Fund of the Diocese, namely, a per capita assessment and a per centum assessment; and

WHEREAS, The per capita assessment has been the approved method in this Diocese for many years; and

WHEREAS, Every member of our large committee, representing a country or village church, is of opinion that a change to the per centum method would not be advisable; and

WHEREAS, It is not the desire of this Council to enact unequal or oppressive laws; and

WHEREAS, The present law seems to place a stigma upon many of our churches which make an honest effort to obey the law; therefore—

1. *Resolved*, That this Council re-affirms its heretofore action as to the method of raising the Contingent Fund of the Diocese by a per capita assessment. That this assessment is upon the congregation on the basis of one dollar for each communicant.

2. *Resolved*, That this assessment should be collected in full, if possible, and paid to the Treasurer of the Diocese, as the Canon directs, quarterly or at every annual Council.

R. A. GOODWIN,
JOHN MCGILL,
J. S. MOORE.

Mr. R. Taylor Scott moved that the majority report be adopted.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin moved, as an amendment, that the minority report be adopted.

This motion was lost.

Mr. Scott's motion being then put before the Council was carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHANGES OF PRAYER-BOOK, CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

The Rev. J. Y. Downman read the following report:

THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

To the Convention (or Council) of the Diocese of Virginia:

In compliance with the requirements of Article 8 of the Consti-

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tution, I would hereby make known that the following alteration in the Book of Common Prayer was proposed in the General Convention of 1895, and it is to be acted upon at the General Convention of 1898; to-wit, that contained in the subjoined resolution:

Resolved, That the following change be made in the Book of Common Prayer, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted in the next General Convention:

That on the first day of January in the year of our Lord 1900, the place of the Golden Numbers prefixed to several days in the Calendar, between the twenty-first day of March and the eighteenth day of April, both inclusive, be changed, and that the Golden Numbers be prefixed to days in the Calendar in March and April, as in the following table:

IN MARCH:		IN APRIL:	
	21		1
14	22	13	2
3	23	2	3
	24		4
11	25	10	5
	26		6
19	27	18	7
8	28	7	8
	29		9
16	30	15	10
5	31	4	11
			12
		12	13
		1	14
			15
		9	16
		17	17
		6	18

and that in the fifth line of page xxv, the figures "1899" be changed to "2199."

In testimony Whereof, I have this day hereunto affixed my name.

CHAS. L. HUTCHINS,

Secretary of the House of Deputies.

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THE GENERAL CONVENTION OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL
CHURCH.

To the Convention (or Council) of the Diocese of Virginia:

In compliance with the requirements of Article 9 of the Constitution, I would hereby make known that the following alterations of the Constitution of the Church are proposed, to-wit: those comprised in the resolutions subjoined, said resolutions having been constitutionally adopted by a General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, held in the city of Minneapolis, Minnesota, in October, A. D. 1895, to-wit:

First.—It was by concurrent action of the two Houses of the Convention (*vide* Journal, pages 30, 31, 222)

Resolved, That the following amendment be made to the Constitution, and that the proposed amendment be made known to the several Dioceses in order that it may be finally agreed to and ratified in the next General Convention, in accordance with the provisions of Article 9 of the Constitution:

Strike out the Title and insert in place thereof the following:

“Constitutions and Canons for the Government of that portion of the Catholic Church known in Law as the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America;” adding thereto the sub-title, “Constitutions.”

Second.—It was by concurrent action of the two Houses of the Convention (*vide* Journal, pages 142, 143, 144, 325, 326, 327)

Resolved, That the following amendment be made to the Constitution, and that the proposed amendment be made known to the several Dioceses in order that it may be finally agreed to and ratified in the next General Convention, in accordance with the provisions of Article 9 of the Constitution:

Insert in place of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the Constitution the following:

CONSTITUTIONS.

I.

SECTION 1. There shall be a General Convention of this Church, consisting of the House of Bishops and the House of Deputies, which Houses shall sit and deliberate separately, and in all deliberations freedom of debate shall be allowed. Either House may originate and propose legislation, but every act of the General Convention must be adopted by both Houses, and be certified by the signatures of the Presiding Officer and of the Secretary of each House.

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SEC. 2. Every Bishop of this Church, having jurisdiction, every Bishop Coadjutor, and every Bishop whose resignation of jurisdiction shall have been accepted, shall have a seat and a vote in the House of Bishops. A majority of all Bishops entitled to vote, exclusive of those who have resigned their jurisdictions, and those who are Bishops in foreign lands, shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

SEC. 3. The Senior Bishop of this Church in the order of consecration, having jurisdiction within the United States, shall be the Presiding Officer of the House of Bishops. He shall discharge such duties as may be prescribed by the Constitutions and Canons of the General Convention, or, for its own needs by the House of Bishops; and shall hold office for life, unless he resign or be relieved from that office by a vote of a majority of the Bishops entitled to a vote in the House of Bishops.

SEC. 4. The Church in each Diocese which shall have been admitted to the General Convention shall be entitled to be represented in the House of Deputies by not more than four Presbyters, canonically resident in the Diocese, and by not more than four Laymen, communicants of this Church, and having domicile in the Diocese. Each Diocese shall prescribe the manner in which its Deputies shall be chosen.

A majority of the Dioceses entitled to representation shall be represented by Clerical Deputies, and also a majority of the Dioceses so entitled shall be represented by Lay Deputies, to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The absence of a majority of the Deputies of either Order of any Diocese shall not invalidate the representation of such Diocese, so long as there be present one or more Deputies of either Order. If any Diocese be not represented, or be represented in one Order only, such Diocese shall, nevertheless, be bound by the acts of the General Convention.

On any question the vote of a majority of the Deputies present shall suffice, unless otherwise ordered by these Constitutions, or unless the Clerical or Lay representation from any Diocese require that the vote be taken by Orders; and in all cases of a vote by Orders, the two Orders shall vote separately; each Diocese having one vote for its Clerical and one for its Lay representation, if present; and the concurrence of the votes of the two Orders, by not less than a majority in each Order of all the Dioceses represented in that Order at the time of the vote, shall be necessary to constitute a vote of the House; *Provided*, however, that if it shall appear that a constitutional quorum of the House has not voted, the Presiding Officer shall declare that there has been no vote of the House; and in such a case the question may be again put to the House when a quorum shall be present, at any time before the final adjournment of the Convention then in session.

SEC. 5. In either House any number less than a quorum may adjourn from day to day. Neither House during the session of the General Convention

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shall adjourn without the consent of the other for more than three days, nor at any place other than that in which the Convention shall be sitting.

SEC. 6. One Clerical and one Lay Delegate chosen by each Missionary District of this Church, or by a Convocation of the American Churches in Foreign Lands, convened by proper Ecclesiastical authority, shall have seats in the House of Deputies, subject to all the qualifications and with all the rights of Deputies except the right to vote.

SEC. 7. The General Convention shall meet in every third year on the first Wednesday in October, unless a different day be appointed by the preceding Convention, and at such place as shall have been determined on by the Convention; and if there shall appear to the Presiding Officer of the House of Deputies sufficient cause for changing the place so appointed, he may appoint another place for such meeting. Special meetings may be called in accordance with canonical provisions of the Convention.

Third.—It was by concurrent action of the two Houses of the Convention (*vide* Journal pages 87, 88, 138, 146, 305, 306, 319, 327, 328, 332)

Resolved, That the following amendment be made to the Constitution, and that the proposed amendment be made known to the several Dioceses in order that it may be finally agreed to and ratified in the next General Convention, in accordance with the provisions of Article 9 of the Constitution. In the ninth line of Article 5 strike out the words "any other Diocese" and insert the words "any Missionary District, or by the junction of any two or more Missionary Districts or parts of Districts, or any existing Diocese"; and in the thirteenth line strike out the words "as well as," and insert after the word "concerned" the words "and, in the case of a Missionary District or Districts, of the Bishop and Convocation of each, and in no case without the consent."

so that it shall read as follows:

"No new Diocese shall be formed or erected within the limits of any Missionary District, nor by the junction of any two or more Missionary Districts or parts of Districts, or any existing Diocese, nor shall any Diocese be formed by the junction of two or more Dioceses or parts of Dioceses or Districts, unless with the consent of the Bishop and Convocation of each of the Dioceses concerned, and, in the case of a Missionary District or Districts, of the Bishop and Convocation of each, and in no case without the consent of the General Convention, and such consent shall not be given by the General Convention until it has satisfactory assurance of a suitable provision for the support of the Episcopate in the contemplated Diocese."

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Fourth.—It was by concurrent action of the two Houses of the Convention (*vide* Journal pages 140, 152, 313, 314, 337)

Resolved, That the following alteration be made in Article 5 of the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Diocesan Conventions, in order that the same may be finally agreed to or ratified at the next General Conventions, in accordance with the provisions of Article 9 of the Constitution.

Add at the close of the second paragraph the following words: "and also of the consent to the erection of such Diocese of a majority of the parishes or congregations in union with the Diocesan Convention, or of the parishes or congregations canonically constituted in a Missionary District within the territory of the proposed new Diocese,"

so that the concluding portion of the second paragraph of Article 5, as thus amended, shall read as follows:

"and such consent shall not be given by the General Convention until it has satisfactory assurance of a suitable provision for the support of the Episcopate in the contemplated new Diocese; and also of the consent to the erection of such Diocese of a majority of the parishes or congregations in union with the Diocesan Convention, or of the parishes or congregations canonically constituted in a Missionary District within the territory of the proposed new Diocese."

Fifth.—It was by concurrent action of the two Houses of the Convention (*vide* Journal pages 96, 128, 319, 327, 328)

Resolved, That the following amendment be made to the Constitution, and that the proposed amendment be made known to the several Dioceses in order that it may be finally agreed to and ratified in the next General Convention, in accordance with the provisions of Article 9 of the Constitution:

Add to Article 5 of the Constitution the following, to-wit: "The General Convention may accept a cession of a part of the territorial jurisdiction of a Diocese when the Bishop and Convention of such Diocese shall propose such cession, and three-fourth of the parishes in the ceded territory, and also the same proportion of the parishes within the remaining territory, shall consent thereto."

Article 5 as amended by the third, fourth and fifth of the foregoing resolutions will read as follows:

A Protestant Episcopal Church in any of the United States, or any Territory thereof, not now represented, may, at any time hereafter, be admitted on acceding to this Constitution; and a new Diocese, to be formed from one

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or more existing Dioceses, may be admitted under the following restrictions, viz:

No new Diocese shall be formed or erected within the limits of any Missionary District, nor by the junction of any two or more Missionary Districts, or parts of Districts, or any existing Diocese, nor shall any Diocese be formed by the junction of two or more Dioceses, or parts of Dioceses, unless with the consent of the Bishop and Convention of each of the Dioceses concerned, and, in the case of a Missionary District or Districts, of the Bishop and Convocation of each, and in no case without the consent of the General Convention, and such consent shall not be given by the General Convention until it has satisfactory assurance of a suitable provision for the support of the Episcopate in the contemplated new Diocese; and also of the consent to the erection of such Diocese of a majority of the parishes or congregations in union with the Diocesan Convention, or of the parishes or congregations canonically constituted in a Missionary District within the territory of the proposed new Diocese.

No such new Diocese shall be formed which shall contain less than six Parishes, or less than six Presbyters who have been for at least one year canonically resident within the bounds of such new Diocese, regularly settled in a Parish or Congregation, and qualified to vote for a Bishop. Nor shall such new Diocese be formed if thereby any existing Diocese shall be so reduced as to contain less than twelve Parishes, or less than twelve Presbyters who have been residing therein and settled and qualified as above mentioned: *Provided*, that no city shall form more than one Diocese.

In case one Diocese shall be divided into two or more Dioceses, the Diocesan of the Diocese divided may elect the one to which he will be attached, and shall thereupon become the Diocesan thereof; and the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one, may elect the one to which he will be attached; and if it be not the one elected by the Bishop, he shall be the Diocesan thereof.

Whenever the division of a Diocese into two or more Dioceses shall be ratified by the General Convention, each of the Dioceses shall be subject to the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese so divided, except as local circumstances may prevent, until the same may be altered in either Diocese by the Convention thereof. And whenever a Diocese shall be formed out of two or more existing Dioceses, the new Diocese shall be subject to the Constitution and Canons of that one of the said existing Dioceses to which the greater number of Clergymen shall have belonged prior to the erection of such new Diocese, until the same may be altered by the Convention of the new Diocese.

The General Convention may accept a cession of a part of the territorial jurisdiction of a Diocese when the Bishop and Convention of such Diocese shall propose such cession, and three-fourths of the parishes in the ceded

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territory, and also the same proportion of the parishes within the remaining territory, shall consent thereto.

In testimony whereof, I have this day hereunto affixed my name.

CHAS. L. HUTCHINS,

Secretary of the House of Deputies.

CONCORD, MASS., March 2, A. D. 1896.

The Committee to whom were referred the communications from the General Convention, beg leave to report:

Your Committee recommend the adoption of the resolution in reference to the change in the Book of Common Prayer, which has to do with the insertion of a table of Golden Numbers, and the change of the year of our Lord, from 1899 to 2199, on page 25.

The first resolution having reference to an amendment to the Constitution, in which it is proposed to strike out the title which is now "Digest of the Canons for the Government of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the U. S. A.," passed and adopted in General Convention, together with the Constitution, and to insert instead of this the words "Constitution and Canons for the Government of the portion of the Catholic Church known in law as the Protestant Episcopal Church in the U. S. A.," seems inadvisable.

Your Committee would deprecate any change being made in the Church's name, not only in the Book of Common Prayer, but wherever else it appears. The name, Protestant Episcopal Church, is an heritage from our fathers, and we should keep it as it is, without adding thereto or taking therefrom.

Your Committee therefore recommends that the first resolution in reference to the change in the title of the Constitution be not adopted.

The second, third, fourth, and fifth resolutions, in reference to the change in Articles one, two, three, and five of the Constitution, seem advisable, inasmuch as they express in more concise and explicit language what is meant than is done by the articles which it is proposed to amend, and your Committee therefore recommend their adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Y. DOWNMAN,

D. M. CHICHESTER,

C. C. BAUGHMAN.

On motion of the Rev. James Grammer, D. D., it was—

Resolved, That the different parts of this report be voted on *seriatim*.

On motion, the recommendation in regard to a change in the

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Prayer-Book was adopted; also the first recommendation in regard to the Constitution was passed.

The Rev. John C. Gray moved that the two recommendations just passed be reconsidered; which motion was lost.

The Rev. Mr Gray then moved to lay the rest of the report on the table. Lost.

On motion of the Rev. James Grammer, D. D., it was—

Resolved, That this whole subject be postponed to the next Council.

The following telegram was then read:

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 21, 1896.

TO REV. EVERARD MEADE,

Secretary of the Council of Virginia:

East Carolina sends loving greeting to Virginia,—praying God's blessing on your deliberations and work.

FREDERICK N. SKINNER,

Secretary of the Council.

On motion, the Secretary telegraphed to the Council of East Carolina reciprocating their kind words.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE.

Major R. Taylor Scott read the following report on the Virginia Female Institute :

To the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

The Committee empowered by the last Council to adjust the claims of the Diocese of Virginia in and to the "*Virginia Female Institute property*" in the city of Staunton, Va., submit the following report:

The undersigned, as directed and empowered by the resolution adopted at Charlottesville in 1895 (See Journal, 1895, page 51), met the Committee of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, in Richmond, December 19, 1895. There were present Rev. W. Q. Hullihen and Messrs. William A. Anderson and T. C. Elder, on the part of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, and Rev. John K. Mason and Mr. R. Taylor Scott on the part of the Diocese of Virginia.

Your committee respectfully report that "The Virginia Female Institute,"

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at Staunton, is a corporation created by the General Assembly of Virginia January 13, 1844 [Acts 1843-4, page 86]. The original corporators "Thomas J. Michie, Nicholas C. Kinney, Alex. H. H. Stuart, William Kinney, John H. Peyton, James Points, John B. Breckenridge, Francis T. Stribling, Benjamin Crawford, Edward Valentine, Robert S. Brooke, Edmund Berkley, George Eskridge, William Donaghe, John Churchman, William H. Garber, Washington Swoope, and Armistead M. Moshy, their successors and all others who may become stockholders in the "Virginia Female Institute."

The capital stock, \$30,000 is in shares of \$100 each, the purpose and object of this corporation to found and carry on "a female seminary in the town of Staunton under the name and style of the "Virginia Female Institute," by that name to have perpetual succession and a common seal, may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in any court of law or equity.

The corporation was authorized to hold personal property of all kinds, purchase lands, receive subscriptions, accept bequests and devises, lease, rent, sell, exchange or otherwise dispose of its property "in such manner as to the Presidents and Trustees of said institute or a majority of them shall seem most conducive to the advantage of said institute."

When or where "the corporators" met, who the "original stockholders," the amount of capital stock issued and proceedings by said stockholders *at* and *after* organization, the closest and fullest investigation of the joint-committee failed to discover. However, it is a fact that organization was effected, and the school named the "Virginia Female Institute," at Staunton, exists as a body corporate for the object and purposes declared in its charter.

More than *thirty* years after the charter, to-wit: *March 14, 1874*, "an act" was obtained from the Legislature with this preamble [Acts 1874, p. 100]:

"WHEREAS, A large number of the original stockholders of the Virginia Female Institute, at Staunton, have departed this life without known legal representatives, and are represented to have subscribed stock in said institute with no view to gain but to promote female education; and

"WHEREAS, On the day of , one thousand eight hundred and , at a general meeting of the stockholders of said institute authority was given to "the Board of Directors" thereof to transfer the property and effects of said institute to the *Convention* of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia; *Provided*, said *Convention* would pay off the debts charged upon said property and thus preserve the same for the purpose designated by the charter of said institute; and

"WHEREAS, Said *Convention* did, in fact, by means of contributions raise for that object, pay off, and discharge said debts, but has been and still is *legally* incapable of accepting such transfer; and

"WHEREAS, The *present* Board of Trustees of said institute concur in desiring additional legislation in order to remove uncertainty and doubt as to

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by which said property is held and to provide for the more efficient government of said institute; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia, That John Johns, J. Whittle, David A. Walker, Nathaniel H. Massie, Robert E. Withers, John R. Anderson, Francis H. Smith, Geo. Newton, Tazewell Taylor, Francis T. Stribling, Henderson Bell, John N. Hendren, Hugh W. Sheffey, James G. Cazenove, and John Miller be, and they are hereby, appointed trustees of the Virginia Female Institute, in the city of Staunton, and and their successors shall constitute a board, with full power to manage and control the property and affairs of said Institute; to adopt proper and full rules and regulations for the government of the same; to appoint and to hold, preserve, and use the property and effects of said Institute for the uses and purposes of its original charter none other."

meetings of the Board of Trustees were to be held in the month of May, and on such day and place as the five persons first named in said act designate, and at least one regular annual meeting of said Board of trustees.

It "nothing contained herein shall be construed as impairing the charters and rights of the Virginia Female Institute, this act being intended to secure more efficient means for the government of the same."

As far as your Committee has been able to ascertain, this statute was never formally accepted or acted upon by the original stockholders of the company, but the Council will note that one of them, the well-known and distinguished Dr. Francis T. Stribling, of the city of Staunton, was a member both of the new and old Board of Trustees; further, that Henderson M. John N. Hendren, and Judge Hugh W. Sheffey, of the new Board of trustees, were well known and prominent citizens of said city. It necessarily follows, as an irresistible inference and conclusion, that all that was done was done with the express, implied knowledge, consent, and approval of the incorporators and the original stockholders of the Virginia Female Institute, that the stock, by whomsoever then held, was not formally transferred to the new Board of Trustees resulted from carelessness or oversight and not from purpose or design.

From May, 1874, to this date, a period of twenty-two years, the "Virginia Female Institute" has been in the possession of, and managed and controlled by a Board of Trustees nominated and appointed first by the "Convention," after the name was changed to "Council" by the Council of the Diocese of Virginia, and now is under the joint management and control of the Councils of the Dioceses of Virginia and Southern Virginia, as provided by the recent Act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved January 18, 1895-'6, c. 85, page 110), a copy of which is made part and included in this report and filed herewith, marked "A."

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Under the large and ample powers conferred by this statute upon the new board of trustees, your Committee think it is reasonable to hope that at no far distant day "the new trustees" will obtain and hold the stock of the old corporation, or if this hope and expectation be not realized *then* that the ever moving but quiet and noiseless hand of time by statutes of limitations and application of the principal of *laches* will make the Dioceses' possession and control of the Institute coupled with their "adversary holding" as good and perfect title to all intents and purposes as if the two Dioceses had a formal, valid and sufficient deed from the old corporation.

Under the admirable and judicious management of the lessee, *Mrs. General J. E. B. Stuart*, the Virginia Female Institute at Staunton, Va., has done and is doing a splendid work for female education and the Church. The school is a success, deserves and should have the cordial, earnest and zealous support of *both* Dioceses.

The Dioceses should put forth their best endeavors to increase and enlarge the sphere of this school's usefulness, add to its equipments and accommodations, repair and improve the grounds and buildings.

A Music and Public hall are greatly in demand and could be had by an investment of ten or twelve thousand dollars.

Help on this good school by supplying this present need !

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN K. MASON,
R. TAYLOR SCOTT,
JOS. BRYAN,
Committee, &c.

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[See Acts 1895-6, chapter 85, page 110.]

AN ACT

To amend and re-enact sections 1, 2, and 4 of an act entitled "An act to appoint a Board of Trustees for the Virginia Female Institute, at Staunton, and to provide for the future government of said Institute, approved March 14, 1874," with a preamble to said amended and re-enacted sections.

(Approved January 18, 1896.)

Whereas, since the above named act, approved March 14, 1874, and which is printed as chapter 108 in the Session Acts of the General Assembly of Virginia for the year 1874, went into operation, the Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of Virginia, referred to in the above-named act as "The Diocese of Virginia," has been divided into two other Dioceses, one known as the Diocese of Virginia and the other as the Diocese of Southern Virginia; and whereas, at the last Council of the Protestant Episcopal

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Church in the Diocese of Virginia prior to the division hereinbefore mentioned, the same having been held in Danville, Virginia, in the month of May, 1892, amongst the resolutions adopted providing for the division of the Diocese was the following: "Fifth. *Resolved*, That the Virginia Female Institute shall remain the property of the Diocese of Virginia and of the proposed new Diocese, and under their joint control and management, on such terms and conditions as may be hereafter determined," which, together with other action of said Council of the Diocese of Virginia, at Danville, Virginia, on May, 1892, relative to said division, was subsequently, in the same year, approved and ratified by the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States; and whereas, in pursuance of the resolution adopted by the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, at Danville, in 1892, hereinbefore quoted, committees of the Councils of the two Dioceses hereinbefore named, into which the former Diocese of Virginia was divided, have met in joint session and agreed that said last-named two Dioceses should, in their joint holding, control, and management of said Virginia Female Institute, be upon a footing of exact equality in all respects, which action of said committees has been reported to and confirmed by the Councils of their respective Dioceses, and whereas, it is deemed desirable and important that a new Board of Trustees should be appointed for said Institute, and that the aforesaid act, approved March 14, 1874, should also be otherwise changed and amended so as to recognize the division of the Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Virginia into the two existing Dioceses hereinbefore mentioned, and to provide for the substitution of said two Dioceses to all the interests in and control and management of the said Virginia Female Institute and its property and affairs, to which the former Diocese of Virginia, prior to its aforesaid division, was entitled under said act of the 14th of March, 1874; now, therefore,

1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia, That sections one, two, and four of an act entitled an act to appoint a Board of Trustees for the Virginia Female Institute, at Staunton, and to provide for the future government of said Institute, approved March 14, 1874, be amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia, That Right Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D., Right Rev. John B. Newton, James M. Garnett, L. Taylor Scott, Joseph Bryan, John G. Williams, and Thomas Potts, all of whom reside within the boundaries of the Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, at present known and designated as the Diocese of Virginia, and Right Rev. A. M. Randolph, D. D., W. W. Old, Charles M. Blackford, W. A. Anderson, H. M. Bell, T. C. Elder, and Thomas D. Ranson, all of whom reside within the boundaries of the Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, at present known and designated as the Diocese of Southern Virginia, be, and they are hereby, appointed Trustees of the Virginia Female

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Institute, in the city of Staunton, Virginia, and they and their successors shall constitute a Board, with full power to manage and control the property and affairs of said Institute; to adopt proper and needful rules and regulations for the government of the same; to appoint annually a Board of Directors, and to hold, preserve, and use the property and effects of the said Institute for the *uses and purposes of its original charter and none other*. The Board of Trustees hereby appointed shall be divided into two parts, designated as Part I and Part II, respectively. The seven persons first hereinbefore named as Trustees, and described as living within the limits of the present Diocese of Virginia, and their successors, shall constitute Part I, and the seven persons last hereinbefore named as Trustees, and who are described as living within the limits of the Diocese known at present as the Diocese of Southern Virginia, and their successors, shall constitute Part II. The said Trustees and their successors may acquire, receive, hold, manage, rent, sell, grant, convey, invest, convert, and otherwise dispose of, as to them shall seem most conducive to the interest of said Institute, for the purpose of educating white females in said Institute, and erecting, acquiring, equipping, and furnishing the necessary buildings and other property therefor, and maintaining said Institute, all lands, tenements, stocks, bonds, goods, moneys, securities, chattels, and property of every kind which have been, or may be given, bequeathed, or devised to, or otherwise acquired by said Trustees for the purposes aforesaid, or for the endowment of said Institute, or of any chair therein, or for the purpose of establishing or endowing fellowships or scholarships therein upon such conditions as may be imposed by the donor, grantor, or testator making said gift or grant; and for said purposes the Trustees and their successors may acquire the stock of said corporation, and hold the same for the advancement of the cause of education in the said Institute. Devises, bequests, gifts, and grants may be given or made to the Trustees of the Virginia Female Institute for any or all of the purposes aforesaid.

SEC. 2. The first meeting of said Board of Trustees shall be held on the first Thursday in May, 1896, at the Virginia Female Institute, in the city of Staunton; and there shall be at least one regular meeting of the Board in each year thereafter, the time and place of such meeting to be fixed by said Board; and in the event the Board is unable to agree on the time and place for the regular annual meeting, it shall be held on the first Thursday in May, and at said Institute in Staunton. Any five members, irrespective of the parts of the Board to which they belong, may call a special meeting of the Board to be held at said Institute in Staunton, and at such time as may be designated by a written or printed notice duly mailed to the regular post-office addresses of the other members, or by publication in at least two newspapers of general circulation, one of which shall be published in the Diocese of Virginia and the other in the Diocese of Southern Virginia, the notice, if

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sent by mail, to be forwarded at least two weeks before the meeting, and if by publication in the newspapers, the first insertion in each paper to be at least two weeks before the meeting, and the publication to be continued until the meeting. Three members from each of the parts into which the Board of Trustees is divided—six altogether—shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and no measure can be carried unless a majority of the members from each Diocese constituting the quorum in attendance on the meeting at which it is voted on shall vote in its favor; nor can any office be filled, or any person elected or chosen to any position by the Board, unless by a like concurrent vote of the two parts. *The Board of Directors*, which the Board of Trustees are by the first section of this act authorized to appoint, shall consist of as many members as the Board of Trustees in a regular annual meeting assembled shall determine, who may be, in whole or in part, persons other than members of the Board of Trustees; and they may all reside in one Diocese, or be selected from the Dioceses of Virginia and Southern Virginia in unequal numbers as between the two. The Board of Trustees shall have power to enact by-laws for its own government, and also for the government of the Board of Directors; provided that they are not in conflict with the Constitution or laws of this State or of the Constitution and laws of the United States.

SEC. 4. Each part of said Board of Trustees shall have power to fill any vacancies which may occur in the membership of such part arising from death, resignation, inability or refusal to act, or removal from the Diocese represented by such part. Any such vacancy shall be filled by that part of the Board in which it occurs alone, without assistance from or interference by the other part of the Board; but the selection of a person to fill the vacancy shall be made from two or more persons recommended therefor by the council of the Diocese to which the part of the Board of Trustees in which the vacancy occurs shall belong; and in this way Part I of the Board may keep this part full, and Part II may keep its membership full, each doing this without interference on the part of the other.

2. That this act shall be in force from its passage.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY THE TRUSTEES OF
VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE AT STAUNTON.

*To the Councils of the Dioceses of Virginia
and of Southern Virginia:*

WHEREAS, At the first meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Virginia Female Institute, appointed by an act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved January 18, 1896, which meeting was held at the said Institute, in the city of Staunton, Virginia, on Thursday, May 7th, 1896, a resolution was adopted appointing R. Taylor Scott a member of said board from the Dio-

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cese of Virginia, and Thomas C. Elder a member of said Board from the Diocese of Southern Virginia, a committee to report to the Councils of their respective Dioceses at their next meetings, what was done by the Trustees of the Virginia Female Institute at their Board meeting above mentioned. Now, therefore, by way of complying with what is required of them by said resolution, the undersigned, R. Taylor Scott and Thomas C. Elder, do report that the meeting of the Board of Trustees hereinbefore mentioned was held at the time and place designated in the aforesaid act of the General Assembly of Virginia; that there were present at said meeting from the Diocese of Virginia Rt. Rev. John B. Newton and Messrs. James M. Garnett, John G. Williams, Thomas Potts, and R. Taylor Scott, and from the Diocese of Southern Virginia, Messrs. W. W. Old, W. A. Anderson, H. M. Bell, Thomas D. Ranson, and Thos. C. Elder; that all the provisions of the above-mentioned act of the General Assembly were formally accepted; that the Board was organized by the election of Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, of the Diocese of Virginia, as President; Rt. Rev. A. M. Randolph, of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, as Vice-President, and Mr. Thomas D. Ransom as Secretary and Treasurer; that a Board of Directors, consisting of five members, namely: Messrs. H. M. Bell, T. D. Ranson, Thos. C. Elder, Geo. M. Harrison, and James H. Skinner, all residents of Staunton, was chosen, and their powers and duties indicated; that committees were appointed for other purposes and other business transacted; and that, in fine, the corporate machinery of the Virginia Female Institute, under the act of Assembly approved January 18th, 1896, is in good running order, and, so far as is known to the undersigned, the Institute does not at the present time require further action on the part of the Dioceses, under whose joint control it has been placed by the law above mentioned.

Respectfully submitted,

R. TAYLOR SCOTT.
THOS. C. ELDER.

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The Bishop laid before the Council Mrs. Stuart's report. (See Appendix.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

The Rev. E. S. Hinks read the report of the Committee on Parochial Reports, and moved a change in the form of reporting the number of communicants; which motion was lost.

The Committee on Parochial reports submit to the Council the result of their examination, with the following comments:

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of the reports are very defective, and should be filled out with care.

We have found especially in the matter of stating the number of communicants that a whole congregation is killed off in one column and resurrected next, and it seems unnecessary to have so complicated a form and

After conference with the Secretary of the Council, it has been decided to offer a resolution that this matter may be simplified, and the following added so many, of which by transfer, removed, withdrawn, suspended, &c., be omitted.

As the reports are defective in not stating the amount of Sunday-school contributions, the number of catechisings, and the scholars confirmed,

it seems wise to state the number and names of churches that have reported.

SUMMARY.

—Adults, white, 181; colored, 14. Total.....	195
Infants, white, 412; colored, 22. Total.....	434
Grand total.....	629
Communications—White, 658; colored, 7. Total.....	665
Communicants—White, 9,463; colored, 111. Total.....	9,574
Scholars—White, 171; colored, 34. Total.....	205
Teachers—White, 404; colored, 15. Total.....	419
Schools—White, teachers, 774; scholars, 5,919. Total..	6,693
Colored, teachers, 41; scholars, 611. Total...	652
Grand total.....	7,345
School contributions.....	\$4,323.30
Schools—Number of catechisings.....	337
Schools—Number of scholars confirmed.....	152
Churches—Paid teachers, 29; scholars, 365. Total....	394
Churches of the Brotherhood.....	159
Churches of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.....	304
Churches of the Woman's Auxiliary.....	1,065
Contributions	\$139,307 47

EDWIN S. HINKS,
C. WOOLNOUGH,
S. R. McCLANAHAN,
RANDOLPH C. FITZHUGH.

Council adjourned to meet at 8 P. M.

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THURSDAY 8 P. M.

The Council re-assembled for the service in the interest of Foreign Missions.

The service was read by the Revs. C. H. Lee and P. P. Phillips.

The Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton presided.

The Annual Missionary Sermon was preached by the Rev. Jno. McNabb.

Addresses were then made by the Rev. M. Tai, of Tokio, Japan, which was interpreted by the Rev. J. T. Cole, and the closing address was made by the Rev. J. W. Morris, of Brazil.

An offering for our Missionary Work in Japan and for the work in Brazil was then taken.

Adjourned to meet Friday at 9:30 A. M.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, VA.,
FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1896.

The Council met at 9:30 A. M. for Divine service.

There were present in the chancel the Rector, the Rev. E. A. Temple, and the Rev. O. M. Yerger, who preached the sermon.

The Council was called to order at 11 A. M. by Rt. Rev. Jno. B. Newton.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The Rev. Wm. M. Clark read the report from the Committee on the State of the Church.

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The Committee on the State of the Church would respectfully report:

We have listened to the various reports of the Bishops, Officers and Committees with unfeigned pleasure and satisfaction. We gather from these various sources that the condition of the Diocese in many, if not in all, respects is such as to afford gratification to its members.

Last year—the first with two Bishops in the divided Diocese—more than one thousand confirmations were reported, a number unprecedented in the territory in the history of the Church in this State. Naturally, for certain reasons, we might have expected a falling off this year, but we find to our gratification that the Bishops report 729 confirmations for this year, more than half as many as were ever reported in any one year from the old undivided Diocese. We think this a cause for much thankfulness, despite the fact of long continued and unprecedented financial depression, that exceedingly important agency. The Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society reports large and well-sustained contributions to its work, showing an unflinching, if not growing interest on the part of our people. In this connection it is particularly pleasing to contemplate the continuance on the part of the children of the Diocese of their prompt and hearty and generous assistance to the Committee in their work. Also in this connection your Committee are reminded of an opportunity for very real and effective Missionary work, which lies often at the door of our people who live in the country and are isolated in some degree from the activities of their Parish Churches. We mean that of gathering the poor and neglected people and children, whether white or colored, in their neighborhood (and in what neighborhood cannot such be found?); and in Bible classes and Sunday-schools instructing them in the simple truths of the Gospel and leading them in the worship of God. A work of inestimable value has often been and now is being done in this way by earnest laymen and women, as our brethren have testified; many of our rural churches and congregations having sprung from just such small beginnings as these. But whether large, visible results may be anticipated or not, a blessing both upon teachers and hearers may be expected to follow such efforts undertaken and persevered in with a single eye to God's glory and the good of souls.

We congratulate the Diocese that the long cherished idea of our Bishop as to Deaconesses seems at last to be assuming tangible shape by the setting apart, a few days since, in old St. John's Church, Richmond, of a lady for this important work, and we trust that this is but the earnest of far greater results in the near future. It would be a pleasing thing were some liberal person or persons to contribute a sufficient fund to establish a home and training school for Deaconesses, and to put this important work on an assured foundation.

We greatly sympathize with the Committee on Prayer-Book Distribution as to the sentiment of their able and valuable report on this subject, and we

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believe that some Diocesan agency for the furnishing of free prayer-books to the Missions and weak Parishes would be an invaluable assistance to the missionary work of the Diocese, and we sincerely trust that the Council will not allow this important matter to pass without further notice. Of all the special agencies at work in our Diocese, none seems to be doing more, or more valuable work, than the Woman's Auxiliary, and if there be any of our Parishes which have not introduced this important feature, we cordially commend it to their attention and consideration. Also, we call special attention to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, and the large field for usefulness that it seems capable of filling.

Your Committee would like to call the attention of every Clergyman and Layman in the Diocese to the *Protestant Episcopal Review*. We do not believe that there is any agency in our Church to-day that is doing more to commend the Virginia Seminary and disseminate its teachings and principles than this Magazine, and we would cordially solicit for it the moral and financial support of all who love the historic traditions and faithful teaching of this old Diocese and the Seminary.

In conclusion, your Committee congratulate the Diocese on the bright outlook, and pray that no unfaithfulness or want of zeal on our part may hinder us in the good work.

Signed,

W. M. CLARK,
ED. L. GOODWIN,
JAS. M. GARNETT,
JOHN PAGE,
JOHN W. GORDON.
R. POWELL PAGE.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DIOCESAN MISSIONARY FUND.

The Rev. John McNabb made the report of the Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society:

Your Committee appointed to examine the accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society, beg leave to report that they have examined the same and find them correct.

JOHN McNABB, *Chairman*.

Rev. James Grammer read the report of the Trustees of the Seminary and High School:

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND
HIGH SCHOOL.

The Trustees of the Seminary and High School herewith respectfully present their annual report to the Council of the Diocese:

The classes in the Seminary have been diligently and successfully pursuing the curriculum of studies for the current session without interruption, except for a short time during the prevalence of an epidemic that attacked their classes.

Since our last report Dr. Packard, Professor of the English Bible, has been relieved from all active duties on account of his increasing infirmities; and as a measure of compensation for the loss of his instruction, the Rev. William H. Neilson, D. D., of Shepherdstown, West Virginia, by lectures and sermons twice a week for five months, has been giving instruction in the English Bible.

Rev. Charles Gauss, our Commissioner of Endowment, was compelled by sudden failure of health to give up his work, and the office of Commissioner has been discontinued. The Trustees, therefore, renew the appeal made in our last year's report, and renew it with increasing urgency, for an increase of the Endowment, and for the annual parochial collections recommended recently by the Council of Virginia.

The High School reports one hundred and three boys during the current year, of whom forty-nine are from the three Virginia Dioceses.

By a change in the management of the School, which will go into operation next session, the boarding and business department will be under the control of a Proctor, responsible directly to the Board of Trustees, while the essential Principal, Mr. L. M. Blackford, M. A., will continue in the sole charge of the scholastic department of the Institution. The terms of this new contract make no provision for scholarships, but it is confidently expected that the new arrangement, by yielding to the Trustees a larger money revenue, will enable them speedily to arrange a system of scholarships on a firmer and more satisfactory foundation.

Appended are the reports of Professors of the Seminary and the Principal of the High School.

Respectfully,

JAMES GRAMMER, *for the Trustees.*

REPORT OF PROFESSOR OF SYSTEMATIC DIVINITY AND HOMILETICS.

to the Board of Trustees of the

Theological Seminary of Virginia :

The Professor of Systematic Divinity respectfully submit the following report of the studies pursued in his classes during the current session:

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The Junior Class, for part of the session, reciting once a week, have studied Chadbourne's Natural History, and are now preparing for examination.

The Middle Class, reciting five times a week, have studied Butler's Analogy, my outlines of Theology, with Knapp as reference; in connection with this, a study of the doctrinal contents of the Epistles of New Testament. The Analogy has been finished with the examination, and they are in a review of the remaining work. To these have been added, during part of the session, recitations twice a week of Mead's Supernatural Revelations. Also essays in Systematic Divinity, and exercises in construction of sermons.

The Senior Class, with three recitations per week and the Wednesday evening exercises, have studied the Articles with Boulton, with references to Burnett and Browne. They are also studying in Natural Theology, Hopkins' "Outline Man," and Homiletics in Dr. Broadus's book, with exercises.

I have also gone over with this class the history of the Prayer-Book, as to its sources, material, as also its changes in the Church of England and in this country, using Dr. Butler's History, Canon Barry's Students Prayer-Book, and the more elaborate work of Blakeney in the way of reference. Along with this, a course of lectures on Liturgics and on Christian Ethics.

C. WALKER.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF GREEK LANGUAGE, &C., &C.

*To the Board of Trustees of the
Theological Seminary of Virginia :*

Up to this date the Senior Class has pursued its regular course in the Greek Testament, reading the later Epistles of St. Paul, Ephesians, Philipians, Colossians and Philemon, besides they have read the Gospel of St. Luke and the Catholic Epistles. They are now entering upon the study of the Apocalypse, and writing essays upon St. Luke for the final examination.

The Middle Class has studied I and II Corinthians, Romans and Galatians, and will enter shortly upon the Epistle to the Hebrews. The work of this class has been unfortunately interrupted by a disease of the eyes, which has prevented the majority from studying about six weeks during the session. Some members of the Junior Class have been affected in the same way.

The Junior Class has studied St. John's Gospel, and the Gospel of St. Matthew, with full reference to the other synoptics. This class will complete the work of the session by reading I and II Thessalonians.

Essays have been read weekly in the Junior and Middle Classes.

In Church Polity I have met the Senior Class twice a week for the first six months of the session. Hooker's Work's were taken as the basis of instruction, supplemented by a series of lectures.

During the rest of the session the Senior Class studies Pastoral Theology

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during the hours which were previously allotted to Church Polity. The Pastoral Epistles are read in Greek, followed by general lectures on the subject specially applicable to the necessities of the time.

The students have been faithful in their work, and the average on examinations has been good.

SAMUEL A. WALLIS,
Professor of the Greek Testament, Church Polity and Pastoral Theology.

REPORT OF PROFESSOR OF HEBREW, ORIENTAL LANGUAGES AND APOLOGETICS.

*To the Board of Trustees of the
 Theological Seminary of Virginia:*

The Senior Class has read critically in Hebrew selected from portions of all the Prophets, analyzing the several books and studying carefully the periods and events of their ministries. The study of Hebrew Syntax continued, and special attention given to the development of Messianic prophecy.

The Middle Class has read seventeen Psalms critically, also selected portions of Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Songs, and Job, in connection with introduction to the same, special attention being given to the principles of Hebrew Poetry and their application. It has also studied Harper's Syntax.

The Juniors have read in Hebrew portions of Genesis, Exodus, Deuteronomy, and other Historical Books, mastering the elements of Hebrew Grammar and Accentuation, also the elements of Hebrew Syntax. The aim is to familiarize them with the entire range of Historical Hebrew, and for the final examination they are required to read it at sight. The Higher Criticism is carefully explained together with its most important applications. The usual instruction in Apologetics is given supplemented by lectures.

Respectfully submitted,

A. CRAWFORD.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF ECCLESIASTICAL HISTORY AND CANON LAW.

The courses in Church History and Canon Law have followed, without any changes worthy of note, the lines which are laid down in the catalogue, and which have been annually reported to the trustees.

The Junior Class has studied the history of Israel down to the founding of the Christian Church, and is at present reading the Acts of the Apostles as a basis for the discussion of the life, teaching, worship and organization of the Apostolic Church.

The Middle Class is still studying the life of the Medieval Church, and will take up the Reformation in Germany before the session closes. Various causes have thrown this class somewhat behind in its work, and it will be

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necessary to exact from the class next year more than the Senior's usual amount of study in history.

The Senior Class is studying the Canons at present, and hearing lectures on the History of Religion in England in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Centuries.

The members of all the classes read essays upon historical subjects, and the Senior's read a final essay which is supposed to express the results of their own study and thought, and to be something more than a mere compilation. On the whole, I should say that the essays show no tendency to deteriorate, and that the general work of the classes is encouraging to me.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. GRAMMER.

"BOHLEN HALL," *February 12, 1896.*

My Dear Doctor:

As my term of duty at the Seminary has come to an end, it seems fitting that I should make some report to you, as Acting Dean, of the work which has been done during the past five months.

With the closing hour to-morrow I shall have given full five months' instruction in the English Bible—two days in every week, except the weeks of Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day. Once I was called away on professional duty, but the week thus lost I have since made up. The term (before Lent) falls short two weeks of the five months, but during the past two weeks I have been giving twice the time allowed me by the Faculty, so as to complete the full term of my appointment.

With to-morrow I shall have given fifty-five hours of instruction, having delivered forty-six lectures and employed nine hours in review. Of these hours I have given six to the Senior Class, nineteen to the Middle Class, and thirty to the Juniors.

The Seniors have gone only through the History of the Translation; the Middle Class through the Pentateuch and the Historical Books *up to* the Books of Kings, and the Junior Class through the Pentateuch and the Historical Books.

The Middle and Junior Classes have also gone through the History of the Translation, and have been exercised in Earle's "Bird's-Eye View of the Bible."

The Junior Class has, I think, made considerable progress. The Middle Class has not done very much, for soon after beginning the work I discovered that, with *only one hour a week* for lecturing, review, and questioning, there was very little hope of progress.

With kind regards, I remain, my dear Doctor,

Faithfully yours,

Rev. C. WALKER, D. D.,

WM. H. NEILSON.

Acting Dean Theological Seminary of Virginia.

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ABSTRACT OF ANNUAL REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL, MAY 6, 1896.

The whole number of pupils, including ten day scholars, entered this session is 103, with a maximum attendance of 97. The endeavor heretofore made to surround the boys with salutary moral and religious influences has been steadily maintained. Extra services have been held at the school by the Rev. Prof. Grammer and his colleagues, besides the usual attendance Sunday morning at the Seminary chapel. The Friday night meeting with the boys, so long customary, has been conducted greatly to their advantage and satisfaction by Mr. John S. Alfried, of the Seminary Senior Class, to whom, as well as to the clergymen named above, my best thanks are due. Including two who received the rite at home, twelve boys have been confirmed, and the number of communicants in the school is forty-two. Whatever success has attended the labors of the session is so largely due to my assistants, that it would be equally unjust to them and inconsistent with my own feeling to conclude without distinct record of my sense of obligation for their faithful services.

L. M. BLACKFORD.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE BROTHERHOOD.

Mr. John G. Williams read the report of the Committee on the Brotherhood.

It is greatly to be regretted that this Institution, which has paid an average of about \$1,000 to the families of deceased Clergymen should be allowed to languish, as it is now doing.

Your Committee cannot but believe that if the attention of the Laity was called to its beneficent object and the small cost to each member, that its membership would be very largely increased. We therefore respectfully recommend that the Vestry of each congregation in the Diocese be requested to appoint an agent to secure members of the Brotherhood in their respective congregations.

JOHN G. WILLIAMS,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Mr. L. M. Blackford read the report of the Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of Mr. Robert S. Chamberlayne, Treasurer, and have found

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them well and accurately stated, and his disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

They find that the total amount received for the year ending May 11, 1896, from the quotas assessed on each Parish (Contingent Fund) for the general expenses of the Diocese, including the salaries of our Bishop and Bishop Coadjutor, amounted to \$7,582.22, an increase over the collections of the same character for last year of \$442.22. In addition to this, the Treasurer received \$50.47 as interest upon his current bank balances on this fund, making a total of \$7,632.69 on account of Contingent Fund, which is the usual and ordinary resource for meeting the usual and ordinary expenses of the Diocese.

In addition to these receipts, say.....	\$7,632 69
The Treasurer had balance from last year.....	361 57
And received from J. T. Gray, his predecessor, principal and interest demand loan.....	1,559 50
And from the Diocese of Southern Virginia, advance made on account of assessment by the General Convention.....	41 50
Total	\$9,595 26

The expenses were as follows:

ORDINARY.

Salaries of two Bishops.....	\$6,000 00
Travelling expenses of same.....	206 37
Rent of Bishop Coadjutor's residence.....	600 00
Salary and expenses of Secretary.....	210 00
Compensation of Assistant-Secretary.....	25 00
Salary and expenses of Treasurer.....	56 90
Salary and expenses of three examining chaplains.....	321 90
Printing and distributing of Journal of Council, with other printing.....	448 00
Stationery.....	49 52
Sexton at Council.....	15 00
Commissioner of Revenue.....	1 00
	<u>\$7,933 69</u>

EXTRAORDINARY.

Expenses of Bishop and deputies to General Convention at Minneapolis.....	\$652 00
Assessment on Diocese for expenses of General Convention, including \$41.50 for Southern Virginia, afterwards refunded.....	312 50
	<u>964 50</u>
Total.....	\$8,898 19

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The balance left in the hands of the Treasurer is \$696.95. It will be observed, however, that our ordinary expenses exceeded our ordinary receipts \$256.00, and that our extraordinary expenses, growing out of the General Convention, amounted to \$964.50, less \$41.50 repaid by Southern Virginia. Our Committee regard with great satisfaction and encouragement the collection from communicants of \$7,582.22 during a year of unprecedented financial depression, and are gratified to state that their most sanguine expectations were realized in the faithful support which the members of our communion have rendered to the Church. This response, which has been made to the appeal of the Finance Committee of the last Council, is full of comfort and encouragement, and gives evidence of devotion and sacrifice which may well stir the hearts and strengthen the faith of all who tread the way which our fathers trod.

It will be observed, however, that not counting the extraordinary expenses incident to the General Convention, we are still touching upon the small reserve of capital that we have for current Diocesan expense, and that a continuation of close collection of quotas from parishes is indispensable to prevent an uncovered deficit. We believe that no Diocese of equal magnitude, and with two Bishops, is more economically administered than ours, and every dollar collected is used only for its absolute necessities.

Our Committee recommend that the payment of rent for the residence of the Bishop Coadjutor, not to exceed \$600.00 per annum, be continued; that the Treasurer be paid \$100.00; that the compensation of the Assistant Secretary be \$25.00; that the Secretary be authorized to print and distribute 1,000 copies of the Journal of this Council, the expense thereof to be paid by the Treasurer; that the Secretary of the Standing Committee be authorized to purchase, at a price not exceeding \$50, a fire-proof safe, for the protection of the records and papers of the Committee, the cost thereof to be paid by the Treasurer; and that the Sexton of St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, be paid

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JOSEPH BRYAN,
JAMES C. LAMB,
L. M. BLACKFORD,
JAMES R. FOSTER.
Committee.

On motion, the recommendations in it were adopted.

On motion of Rev. N. P. Dame it was—

Resolved, That a committee of three clergymen be appointed to prepare a form of letter for the transfer of communicants from one parish to another, and report to the next Council

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The Bishop appointed the Revs. N. P. Dame, Jno. C. Gray and C. H. Lee.

On motion of Rev. Angus Crawford, it was—

1. *Resolved*, That a Committee on Constitution and Canons be appointed and added to the list of standing committees.

2. *Resolved*, That a Special Committee be appointed, consisting of five members, three Clergy and two Lay, to consider the propriety of revising Canons X and XI, with special references to the rights of parishes or churches in union with this Council who fail to meet their Canonical obligations, and that said Committee report at next Council.

The Rev. John McGill moved that a Committee of one Clergman and two Laymen be appointed to examine the parish lines in the county of Fairfax, and report to the next Council. Carried.

The President appointed the following as the Committee: Rev. John McGill, D. D., Judge D. M. Chichester, and Mr. Walton Moore.

The Rev. Dr. Powers moved that the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society be relieved of the support of the Evangelist, and that his salary be paid from the Contingent Fund.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved as a substitute, the following:

Resolved, That the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society appropriate twelve hundred dollars and expenses, annually, to pay the salary of the Evangelist.

Carried.

On motion of the Rev. R. A. Goodwin, it was—

Resolved, That this Council calls attention to the good work of the Virginia Bible Society, and commends it to the prayers and practical interest of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia.

On motion of Rev. W. C. Latané, it was—

Resolved, That the deficiency in the Contingent Fund, from any parish, be not noted on the Journal by the Treasurer of said fund.

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Mr. Randolph C. Fitzhugh moved that the one hundred and second annual Council of the Diocese of Virginia be held in St. George's church, Fredericksburg, Va.

This invitation was accepted by the Council.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

The Rev. Preston Nash read the report of the Committee on Sunday-Schools.

Our Committee on Sunday-Schools beg to submit the following report:

We recognize the Sunday-School as a part of the Church of Christ, not as adjunct, not as a party to a religious compact, in no sense existing independently, or as rightly teaching lessons, doctrines or customs not in keeping concurrent with the teachings of the Church. The Sunday-School has peculiar sphere in the Church, wisely directed by capable, consecrated, earnest officers and teachers, looking only to the glory of God and the spiritual welfare of His people, this Institute has accomplished a work which it is difficult to conceive of as being done through any other agency. We would urge, as of primary importance, that in the selection of officers and teachers for Sunday-Schools prayerful regard be had to the choosing of persons as are fitted for the duties—*spiritually*, "for if any man have the spirit of Christ he is none of His;" *mentally*, "for how can the blind lead the blind;" *popularly*, "for how can two walk together except they be agreed." Carefulness, solicitude, prayerful consideration in organization and detail will, under God, insure success, when, notwithstanding cold and enthusiasm, indifference in regard to such matters will invite failure. We would urge upon those in authority the judicious selection of lessons current with the Church year. We regard this course as eminently useful in familiarizing our own children with the sequence of Gospels and styles as read from the Chancels; and helpful in introducing, through Sunday-School lessons and papers, the Church Seasons with their distinctive teachings, into the families of children who, though attending our schools, are not members of our Church.

The Sunday-School Liturgy is a matter that should claim our attention. For obvious reasons, comparatively few of the younger Sunday-School scholars in our cities attend regularly upon Divine service; while in many country parishes there are opportunities to attend only at stated appointments of the rector, on the occasional visit of the Diocesan Evangelist. These facts should emphasize the necessity of introducing the prayer-book and hymnal in the liturgy of the Sunday-School, for upon a familiarity with these depends an intelligent and spiritual appreciation of the worship of the

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church. Every Sunday-School scholar in the Diocese should have his own prayer-book, use it in Sunday-School and in church, and carry it home where its silent yet potent gospel may speak for Christ, and its healthful form of worship commend at once the dignity and spiritual excellence of our incomparable liturgy. To this end we heartily commend the organization of the Virginia Prayer-Book Distribution Society, and urge upon rectory and people the liberal support and patronage of the same.

We believe that in the Sunday-School there should be a recognized system of contributing to important church and Diocesan objects; not so much for the money thus collected as for the lesson instilled that the Sunday-School is a part of the general church, and that baptised persons, though not yet confirmed, are members of the same and have an interest and part in its welfare. We have seen with pleasure the helpful results in this direction of the personal letters of our Bishop to the children. These have come to each child, they have been eagerly asked for, they have gone into the homes in our parishes, they have done much to make the children realize that they are identified with the church, and in many instances have enlisted the active interest of parents.

The rector is the head of the Sunday-School. He may delegate his authority, but he may not shift his responsibility upon another. To him is entrusted the welfare of souls in his cure, and of him will be required an account. Too often, with his authority, he resigns his responsibility, excusing himself upon the plea of other arduous parish duties, or because he has the best of representatives. We may not in detail declare what a rector's duties in his Sunday-School are, but we may call to mind the solemn injunction of our Lord, addressed no less to the pastor of to-day than to the apostle of old "Feed my Lambs."

We believe that the establishment of Mission Sunday-Schools in outlying districts in the cities and at points remote from the parish churches in the country will be helpful, and should be commended. Often such schools have grown into centers of church interest, oftener lessons of Christian duty have been taught, influencing whole lives. Such schools afford a field of labor for church guilds, for the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and for earnest Laymen where faithful service will return a sure and pleasing reward. "Where two or three are gathered together in my name, there will I be in the midst of them."

The custom of discontinuing Sunday-Schools in winter or in summer we regard as hurtful. Fully appreciating the difficulties under which a continuous session must be held in many Parishes, we think a prayerful regard for the welfare of the souls of those who by this custom are on Sundays left to interest or amuse themselves will be an incentive to arrest effort to keep the Schools open throughout the whole year.

A greater interest in Sunday-Schools among the Laymen is much desired.

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It is a stimulus to the teachers and an encouragement to the scholars to see parents and sponsors present in the School. With what care do we review the studies and select the teachers of our children in the matter of mere training of their minds; yet, how indifferent do we appear in the matter of their moral training, when we seldom enter the Schools or give them a word of praise or commendation.

There is absence of complete reports on the subject, yet we fear that the custom of public catechising of the Sunday-Schools by the rector has largely fallen into disuse. Such a practice has, in time past, been productive of great good, and we would rejoice to know that it has been generally re-established. Time lays its paralyzing hand upon our mental faculties, responsive to his touch we lose the keen sensibilities of thought, the vivid impressions of recollections. We forget the texts, we fail to recall the sermons we have heard; but age can never dim the memory of the beloved pastor, nor efface from mind and soul his simple teaching, when, in the great congregations he called to the chancel rail and told us what was meant when he said, "We were made members of Christ, children of God, and inheritors of the kingdom of Heaven."

PRESTON NASH,
N. P. DAME,
E. V. JONES,
THOS. L. ALFRIEND,
R. C. WEIR,
JOHN TEMPLE.

On motion of the Rev. J. J. Gravatt, it was—

Resolved, That the report of the Committee on Sunday-schools be adopted, and that the same be published (with the approval of the Finance Committee) in leaflet form, and distributed through the Diocese by the Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLERICAL SUPPORT.

Major R. Taylor Scott made the report of the Committee on Clerical Support, and moved that the report be accepted and the Committee discharged; which was then done.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., MAY 22D, 1896.

to the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

"*The Committee upon Clerical Support*" respectfully report that the Treasurer from ninety Churches and Parishes of this Diocese have rendered reports. Of this number twenty-six have no rectories; forty-eight

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have this very necessary property. *Two* Parishes are reported vacant. Eighty Parishes and Churches have paid *in full* the salary promised their rectors, and *eight* are in arrears.

The depression in business, everywhere found, and low market for all agricultural products, necessarily affect the finances of our Church, but bad and hard as are the times, but *eight* Churches and Parishes have failed to fulfill their obligations to their pastors.

Your Committee think in year past this Diocese has good cause to be thankful, and both Clergymen and Laymen should, with renewed hope, gird up their loins, take courage, and press on their work.

R. TAYLOR SCOTT,
JOHN M. TAYLOR,
J. B. McCAW,
WM. C. MARSHALL,
WALTER R. CRABBE.

The Rev L. R. Mason then offered the following:

Forasmuch as the Protestant Episcopal Seminary and the Episcopal High School are institutions in whose welfare all the churches in Virginia and West Virginia are deeply interested, and to whose moral and financial support these churches should gladly contribute; and

Forasmuch as under the present charter of these institutions the churches in whose interest they exist, and upon whose patronage they largely depend, have no voice in their government, the present Board of Trustees being in the nature of a close corporation without legal responsibility to the churches in whose interest they govern; therefore, be it

1. *Resolved*, That it is the sense of this Council that the Legislature should be memorialized so to alter the charter of the Protestant Episcopal Seminary and the Episcopal High School, as that all vacancies hereafter occurring in their Board of Trustees shall be filled by persons elected by the Councils of the several Dioceses now existing or hereafter to be formed in the States of Virginia and West Virginia, provided that the Bishops of the said Dioceses shall be ex-officio members of the Board.

2. *Resolved*, That since there is no power in this Council, or in any other existing authority in the Dioceses of Virginia, to effect this change without the consent of the Board of Trustees, that that Board be, and is hereby, respectfully requested to give such consent, and to inaugurate such a movement by drafting a suitable memorial to the Legislature, or taking such other action as shall be necessary to accomplish the end.

Adjourned to 3:30 P. M.

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FRIDAY, 3:30 P. M.

The Council re-assembled, and was called to order by the Bishop.

Mr. John M. Taylor offered the following:

Resolved, That a committee of five, consisting of three of the Laity and of the Clergy, be appointed to consider and report at the next Council their in their opinion some more equitable plan of Lay representation be devised.

The motion was carried, and the Chair appointed Messrs. John Taylor, Wm. Ellis Jones, Dr. John R. Wheat, Revs. B. M. Adolph, and J. J. Gravatt.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin moved that the Secretary be instructed to send out the blank forms for the Treasurer of the Council.

Lost.

Rev. L. R. Mason then moved that his resolutions with regard to Trustees of the Seminary and High School be referred to a committee of five, one of whom should be an able lawyer, to report to next Council.

Adopted.

The Chair appointed as the committee the following: Revs. L. Mason, James Grammer, D. D., Mr. J. M. Garnett, Major R. Wor Scott, and Mr. Joseph Bryan.

Major John Page moved that the fiscal year of the Treasurer of Council begin July 1st. Lost.

On motion of Major John Page, it was—

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to look into the question making the Episcopal High School a Preparatory School for the Theological Seminary.

The Chair appointed as such committee Revs. Berryman Green,

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P. P. Phillips, J. J. Norwood, Major John Page, and Mr. L. M. Blackford.

Major John Page offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council extend its cordial thanks to the good people of Alexandria for their hospitality; to the rector and vestry of St. Paul's church; to its choir for their excellent music and faithful attendance on the meetings and services of the Council; to the Committee of Arrangements for their careful attention on the delegates; to the pages for their ready assistance in transacting the business of the Council; and to the several managers of the railroads and steamboat lines for their kindness and liberality in giving reduced rates on their several routes to the delegates in attendance on the Council.

After reading the minutes, singing the hymn "Blest be the tie that binds," and prayer by the President, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

F. M. WHITTLE, *President*.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

J. T. L. Hynes.

Born in Howard county, Maryland, October 28th, 1841.

Ordained Deacon in 1886 in Louisville, Kentucky, by Bishop Dudley.

Ordained Priest in 1887, by the Bishop of Indiana.

He served in Parishes in the Dioceses of Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Delaware and Virginia.

Died May 16th, 1895.

" No more sorrow, no more weeping, no more pain."



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IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

John J. McElhinney, D. D.

Born in Pittsburg, Pa., March 22d, 1815.

Ordained Deacon in 1839 by Rt. Rev. Henry V. Onderdonk,
and Priest in 1842.

He had various Parishes in Pennsylvania and Ohio. In 1856 he
was called to be Professor in the Episcopal Theological Seminary at
Cincinnati, Ohio. In 1872 he became Professor at the Theological
Seminary of Virginia. In 1887 he retired and became the Librarian.

Died August 4th, 1895.

"And this man was instructed in the way of the Lord—he spake and taught
diligently the things of the Lord."

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THE REVEREND

Henderson Suter, D. D.

Born in Washington, D. C., July 31st, 1828.

Ordained in 1858 by Bishop Johns.

His various charges were: Grace Chapel, Georgetown; Grace Church, Berryville; St. John's Church, Halifax C. H.; St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg; Wickliffe Church, Clarke county; St. John's Church, Liberty, and the rectorship of Christ Church, Alexandria, from 1878 to 1895.

He was a valued member of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Virginia, and of the Board of Trustees Theological Seminary and High School, and Examining Chaplain.

Died August 25th, 1895.

"An eloquent man, and mighty in the scriptures."



IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

J. B. C. Reed.

Born in Winchester, Va., December 9th, 1806.

Ordained Deacon by Bishop Meade, in Grace Church, Berryville,
March 24th, 1861.

He never had any regular charge, but did Missionary Work among
the poor around Winchester as a Deacon.

Died in Winchester, October 1st, 1895,
in the 89th year of his age.

"He died in a good old age, and full of days."



LIST OF OBJECTS

FOR WHICH

actions have been Recommended
BY THE COUNCIL.

- .—Diocesan Missionary Society, in Advent.
Treasurer, Mr. JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Richmond*.
- .—Foreign Missions, in Epiphany.
Remit to the Treasurer of the Foreign Committee, Bible
House, *New York*.
- .—Disabled Clergy Fund, at Christmas.
Treasurer, Mr. WILLIAM H. PALMER, *Richmond*.
- .—Widows' and Orphans' Fund, in Lent.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.
- .—Education Society, in June.
Rev. P. P. PHILLIPS, *Alexandria*.
- .—Virginia Bible Society, second Sunday in November.
Treasurer, Mr. THOMAS F. MINOR, *Richmond*.
- .—Protestant Episcopal Church Home.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.
- .—Endowment Fund of the Theological Seminary.
- .—Virginia Prayer Book Distribution Society.

APPENDIX.

Treasurers' and Parochial Reports, &≡
for 1896.

AN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA,
in account with JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

RECEIPTS.

3—Balance on hand this date.....	\$2,442	39
Grace Church Sunday-school, Richmond	150	83
St. Peter's Church, Port Royal.....	25	00
Christ Church, Richmond.....	21	75
4—Christ Church, Richmond.....	40	39
Julian M. Ruffin, Hanover.....	7	06
Church of Our Saviour, Fauquier.....	7	13
Christ Church Sunday-school, Gordonsville.....	4	20
St. James' Church, Louisa, additional.....	1	02
10—Piedmont Church Sunday-school, Louisa..	15	00
13—Rev. E. Meade:		
Meade Memorial, White Post.....	6	40
Emmanuel Church S. S., Culpeper.....	2	25
Westover Parish S. S., Charles City.....	33	45
	42	10
Zion Church Sunday-school, Fairfax.....	7	21
Christ Church, Luray Parish.....	7	50
Calvary Church, Luray Parish.....	11	25
Grace Memorial, Rockingham	14	00
Holy Trinity Sunday-school, Richmond.....	30	00
4—Payne's Chapel Sunday-school, Westmoreland.....	10	15
Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland.....	42	
5—Churches in King George county.....	15	83
St. Mathew's and Vawter's Churches, Essex.....	6	77
St. Matthew's and Vawter's Sunday-school, Essex...	8	23
7—Trinity Church, Upperville.	17	88
Our Redeemer, Aldie.....	6	88
Emmanuel, Middleburg.....	4	08
St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond.....	70	
R. R. Smith, Berryville.....	50	
Christ Church, Ridley Parish.....	70	
A Friend.....	50	
8—Christ Church, Middlesex....	4	72
Wicomico Chapel Sunday-school, Northumberland..	1	00
Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	4	00
Chapel of the Redeemer, Richmond.....	6	31
11—Rev. E. Meade:		
Pohick Church, Fairfax	2	25
Olivet Church, Fairfax.....	80	
St. David's Church, King William.....	3	43
	6	48

Diocesan Missions.

June	3—St. Peter's, New Kent.....	1 46
	5—Bishop Newton's Visitation:	
	St. Martin's Parish.....	12 38
	St. Paul's Parish.	2 00
	St. Martin's Parish Sunday-school.....	38
		<u>14 76</u>
	6—Epiphany Mission, Emmanuel Church, Henrico....	1 85
	7—Grace Church, Alexandria.....	7 95
	Wickliffe Church, Clarke county.....	10 00
	10—St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline county.....	1 17
	12—Beckford Parish, Shenandoah county.....	35 00
	Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.....	2 00
	Trinity Church Sunday-school, Fredericksburg.....	1 83
	14—Mite-Boxes, Overwharton Parish Sunday-school....	8 47
	Overwharton Parish.....	1 16
	St. Anne's Parish, Essex county, Sunday-school....	7 73
	St. Anne's Parish, Essex county, collections.....	52
	15—Grace Church, Albemarle county.....	6 62
	St. John's, Louisa.	5 70
	17—St. Thomas', Orange.....	12 91
	18—Christ, Richmond.....	2 17
	22—Episcopal High School Miss. Soc'y, Alexandria....	34 06
	Abingdon Parish Sunday-school, Gloucester, additional.	2 15
	Ware Parish Sunday-school, Gloucester, additional..	1 98
	25—St. James', Ashland.....	12 21
	29—Grace, Goochland C. H.....	7 00
July	2—Kingston Parish, Mathews county.....	12 40
	Mrs. John E. Wright, Jr., Hodges' Ferry.....	1 00
	5—A Friend.....	15 00
	In Memoriam Miss M. B. H.....	15 00
	Rev. E. Meade:	
	Cople Parish, Westmoreland county.....	5 23
	Emmanuel, Henrico.....	1 23
	St. Stephen's, Northumberland.....	4 05
	Wicomico, Northumberland.....	2 30
	Trinity, Lancaster.	1 25
	Christ, Spotsylvania.....	1 40
	Overwharton Parish, Stafford county.....	4 27
	Quantico Church, Prince William.....	3 00
	Grace, Prince William.....	9 66
		<u>32 39</u>
	Abingdon Parish Sunday-school, Gloucester, additional.....	4 15

Diocesan Missions.

5—Abingdon Parish, Gloucester, Collection.....	2 35
Unknown	5 46
6—Christ Church, Winchester.....	59 68
Pohick Parish, Fairfax	5 00
12—St. John's, Columbia	3 22
15—E. Wickham Byrd, Berryville.....	1 00
Christ Church Branch Woman's Auxillary, Charlottesville	25 00
17—Little Mary Terrill, mite-box	68
Emmanuel Church, Delaplane.....	3 00
22—Grace, Fairfax.	2 48
St. John's, Albemarle.....	3 00
Christ, Albemarle.	6 11
Ruth Emery.....	25
	9 36
23—Member of Christ Church, Ridley Parish	1 00
Christ Church, Charlottesville.....	17 60
29—Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.....	12 00
3. 1—Returned by Rev. W. W. Brander.....	16 67
5—Collected at Episcopal services at Vienna.	5 10
7—Rev. E. Meade:	
Garth, Albemarle county.	5 37
Christ, Albemarle county.....	5 37
St. John's, Scottsville.....	1 16
St. Luke's, Remington.....	4 73
St. Stephen's, Fauquier.....	4 82
Calvary, Front Royal	1 73
Meade Memorial, Clarke county.....	8 44
Christ, Millwood.....	11 27
Emmanuel, Boyce.....	86
	43 75
8—Christ Church, Ridley Parish	3 83
Calvary Church, Ridley Parish	10 23
10—St. Paul's, Culpeper.....	10 00
13—Washington Parish.	4 19
St. James', Montross.....	3 18
20—Mineral City Missions.....	1 19
28—Grace and Trinity Churches, Whittle Parish.....	24 94
Church of Our Saviour, Whittle Parish.....	6 00
29—Leed's Church, Fauquier	7 42
t. 5—Rev. E. Meade:	
St. Thomas', Middletown.....	1 52
Calvary, Front Royal.....	9 10
Trinity, Rappahannock.	4 40

Diocesan Missions.

Sept.	5—St. Paul's, Rappahannock.....	3 18	
	Quantico, Prince William	3 76	
	Pohick, Fairfax.....	4 01	
	Olivet, Fairfax.	1 34	
	Washington Parish, Westmoreland.....	7 00	
			34 1
	10—Emmanuel, Fauquier.....	4 7	
	11—St. Paul's, Hamilton.....	5 0	
	Christ Church, Goresville	8 3	
	Mt. Calvary, Round Hill.....	3 0	
	19—Rev. E. S. Hinks.....	7 1	
	Rev. Thomas D. Lewis.....	12 1	
	Mineral City Mission, Louisa.....	1 1	
	St. Luke's Mission, Essex	5 1	
	Abingdon Church, Gloucester.....	3	
	Holy Innocents, Gloucester.....	1	
	Ware Church, Ware Parish.....	2	
	20—Church of James the Less, Ashland.....	10	
	23—Rev. S. S. Hepburn.....	5	
Oct.	5—Rev. E. Meade:		
	Grace, Fluvanna.....	2 61	
	St. John's, Fluvanna.....	3 03	
	Christ Church Parish, Lancaster.....	1 82	
	Wicomico, Northumberland.....	2 12	
	St. John's, West Point.....	5 62	
	Old Chapel, Clarke.....	5 73	
	Garth Mission, Albemarle.....	2 01	
			22
	9—St. Stephen's, Culpeper.....	12	
	St. Stephen's Sunday-school, Culpeper.....		
	St. Paul's, Alexandria.....	3 0	
	St. Mary's, Goochland.....	3	
	14—Christ Church Parish, Lancaster.....	6 1	
	15—Lady near Leesburg.....	5 0	
	17—Cople Parish, Westmoreland.....	3 0	
	19—Union Miss'y Soc'y near Fairfax C. H., Truro Parish,	3 0	
	22—Rev. A. C. Thomson returned from last quarter's		
	stipend.. . . .		41 6
	Monumental Church Branch of Woman's Auxillary,		
	Richmond.....		10 0
	Rev. E. Meade:		
Nov.	1—Holy Innocents, Gloucester county.....	1 31	
	Ware Parish, Gloucester county.....	3 42	
	Trinity Church, Mathews county.....	5 58	

Diocesan Missions.

1—Christ Church, Mathews county.....	7 06	
Buck Mt. Church, Albemarle.	3 52	
St. John's, Tappahannock.....	1 53	
	—	22 42
9—St. Peter's, Oak Grove.....		2 66
St. James', Montross.....		1 34
A communicant of Christ Church, Alexandria.		5 00
8—Virginia Female Institute Sunday-school, half lenten offering		20 32
0—Cople Parish, Westmoreland.....		9 00
1—St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school.....		3 33
9—St. John's, West Point, through Bishop Newton.....		2 75
0—St. Paul's, King George, Rev. Pike Powers.....		2 68
2—St. James' Sunday-school, Richmond		15 44
Rev. E. Meade:		
St. Mathew's, Essex.....	7 72	
Cople Parish, Westmoreland.	6 00	
St. Stephen's, Northumberland'.....	94	
St. John's, King William	1 30	
St. Paul's, Essex	8 46	
Immanuel, King and Queen.....	3 65	
St. John's, Essex.....	6 01	
	—	34 08
4—St. Stephen's, Fauquier.....		9 00
Miss Sallie Hooe, of St. Stephen's, Fauquier.....		5 00
St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school.....		1 43
0—Rev. E. Meade:		
Christ Church, Millwood.....	25 77	
Emmanuel, Boyce.....	1 05	
St. Luke's, Remington.....	4 37	
	—	31 19
2—Whittle Parish, Fauquier.....		10 00
St. Timothy's, Herndon		2 13
7—St. Paul's, Haymarket, through Bishop Newton.....		4 00
Beckford Parish		3 49
Emmanuel, Henrico.....		434 56
3—Whittle, Fauquier.....		1 85
9—C. J. Sale, Loretto.....		5 00
5—Special donation by J. L. Williams for Evangelist....		50 00
Rev. E. Meade:		
Grace, Casanova		20 50
3—All Saint's Memorial Chapel, Culpeper.....		3 75
7—St. Paul's, Hamilton		5 00

Treasurer's Account,

Dec.	30—St. Luke's Mission, Essex	5 00
	St. Andrew's, Richmond	6 92
	St. Andrew's Sunday-school, Richmond	53
	31—Communicant of Grace Church, Berryville.	3 00
1896.		
Jan'y	1—St. Mark's, Richmond	2 9
	2—Rev. E. Meade:	
	Immanuel, King and Queen	1 7
	Mrs. M. Blackwell, Lillian, Va	1
	3—St. Paul's, Alexandria	27
	Rev. T. E. Locke, Congregation at Howardsville	1
	4—A friend	15
	In memoriam Miss M. B. H	15
	6—Grace Memorial, Rockingham	10
	Emmanuel Church, King George	3
	9—Christ Church, Chantilly	2
	10—Mrs. S. F. Scott, Madison Rectory	3
	Ware and Abingdon branches of Woman's Auxiliary of Gloucester	5
	13—White Chapel, Lancaster	\$6 00
	Trinity	75
	Grove	3 25
		10
	17—Woman's Missionary Society, St. Paul's, Alexandria,	96
	22—St. Andrew's, Richmond city	1
	Children's Missionary Society, St. Peter's,	
	Oak Grove	\$3 00
	Maple Grove	1 25
	St. James', Montross	1 10
		5 35
	24—Christ Church, Charlottesville	20 82
	Calvary, Shenandoah	\$3 60
	Christ, Luray	2 40
		6 00
	27—Rev. E. Meade:	
	St. James', Ashland	\$8 07
	St. Margaret's, Caroline	1 00
		9 07
	28—Emmanuel, Fauquier	2 21
	Mission of the Epiphany, Barton Heights.. . . .	20 00
Feb.	4—Rev. E. Meade:	
	St. Paul's Church, Hanover	2 50
	6—A member of St. Paul's Church, Alexandria	4 00

Diocesan Missions.

10—Rev. E. Meade:		
St. James' Church, Ashland.....	\$3 40	
Fork Church, Hanover (17th)	1 63	
		5 03
19—Whittle Parish, Fauquier.....		10 00
24—St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school.....		1 21
26—Piedmont, Madison.....		2 50
St. Paul's, Culpeper.....		2 00
27—Emmanuel, Richmond county.....		5 00
11 3—Rev. E. Meade:		
St. John's, West Point.....		4 36
5—St. Paul's, Alexandria, a member.....		30 00
6—St. Mark's, Richmond.....		1 76
7—Rev. E. Meade:		
Grace, Charles City.....	\$8 17	
Mapsico, Charles City.....	1 42	
Westover	4 73	
		14 32
9—Grace Memorial, Lynnwood.....		5 00
13—St. Paul's, Richmond		38 06
14—Dr. F. S. Hall, Alexandria		5 00
Westover Parish, Charles City.....		10 00
Somerset Mission (from Rev. J. R. Ellis)...	\$12 45	
Christ Church, Gordonsville.....	7 00	
Mineral City Mission.....	2 55	
St. James', Louisa.....	1 85	
		23 85
John G. Williams.....		10 00
17—Monumental Church, branch of Woman's Auxiliary..		10 00
25—Beckford Parish, Shenandoah.....		1 95
27—A Friend.....		1 00
St. Martin's Parish, Hanover.....		7 00
30—Rev. Hartley Carmichael.....		22 00
Woman's Auxiliary, Emmanuel Church, Greenwood,		10 00
31—Mrs. W. K. S.		1 00
12 1—Rev. E. Meade:		
St. John's, Fluvanna.....	\$2 04	
Grace, Fluvanna.....	4 11	
St. Peter's, New Kent.....	2 52	
Christ, Mathews.....	68	
Trinity, Mathews	2 60	
Chapel, Gloucester C. H.....	75	
		12 70

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April 6—St. Paul's, Haymarket		10 30
7—Grace, Berryville	\$25 52	
Grace Sunday-school, Berryville	48 83	74 35
Ware Parish Sunday-school, Gloucester...	\$11 57	
Ware Parish, Gloucester	11 25	
Woman's Auxiliary, Abingdon and Ware Parishes	5 00	
Holy Innocent's Chapel, Abingdon Parish,	2 62	
'St. Paul's Church, Richmond.		30 44
8—All Saints' Church Sunday-school, Richmond		26 25
Falls' Church Sunday-school	1 31	
St. James' Church, Warrenton.	26 20	
St. James' Sunday-school, Warrenton	19 31	
St. George's Church Sunday-school, Fredericksburg,	30 00	
St. Stephen's Church Sunday-school, Culpeper	90 00	
St. Stephen's Junior Auxiliary, Culpeper	21 90	
Calvary Church Sunday-school, Culpeper	5 10	
9—Piedmont Church and Sunday-school, Madison	3 60	
Rev. E. Meade:	15 80	
St. John's Church, Essex.	\$12 77	
St. Paul's, Essex.	3 99	
St. John's Church Sunday-school, Essex ..	17 52	
St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Essex...	5 62	39 90
10—Little Ben Frayser, Mohemenco.		30
11—Emmanuel Church Sunday-school, Harrisonburg....		13 03
Christ Church, Goresville ..	\$5 09	
Christ Church Sunday-school, Goresville..	5 11	
St. Paul's Church, Hamilton ..	13 07	
St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Hamil- ton	19 00	42 27
St. Thomas', Orange	\$28 03	
St. Thomas' Sunday-school, Orange.	40 94	68 97
Rev. Jas. Grammer, Mt. Jackson, annual contribution	\$20 00	
St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Shen- andoah ..	4 56	24 56
Pamille E. Ish, Neabsco Mills		1 60
13—St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Alexandria		75 00
Little Florence Jackson Lacy, New Kent		1 57

Diocesan Missions.

4—From W. C. Latane, St. Peter's, Washing-		
ton Parish.....	\$12 51	
Children's Missionary Society.....	6 00	
St. Peter's Church Collection.....	26 75	
Payne's Chapel Collection.....	2 11	
Ladies Aid Society.....	20 00	
Church Collections, Montross Parish.....	3 84	
Children's Mite-Boxes.....	6 24	
		77 45
Grace Church Sunday-school, Alexandria.....	6 80	
John M. Miller, Jr.....	2 75	
Immanuel Chapel, King and Queen C. H.....	5 00	
Episcopal Congregation, Vienna.....	6 00	
Falls' Church.....	16 25	
5—St. Peter's, Port Royal.....	30 00	
St. Timothy's Sunday-school, Hamilton.....	18 39	
Trinity Sunday-school, Manassas.....	10 35	
St. Paul's, Culpeper.....	\$10 00	
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Culpeper.....	15 00	
		25 00
St. Mark's Sunday-school, Richmond.....	44 00	
St. Luke's Mission Church, Essex.....	15 00	
6—Christ Church, Alexandria.....	85 00	
Christ Church, Alexandria.....	74 94	
Mrs. J. H. C. Beverley's children, St. Anne's		
Parish.....	\$2 57	
C. J. Sales' children.....	2 26	
Robert Beverley's children.....	8 80	
		13 63
7—St. Paul's Church, Hanover.....	\$3 35	
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Hanover.....	2 54	
Sent by Mrs. H., Fork Church, branch of		
Woman's Auxiliary.....	8 00	
		13 89
8—All Saints' Chapel Sunday-school, Slaughter Parish..	5 00	
Emmanuel Church Sunday-school, Rapidan.....	6 25	
St. Andrew's Church Sunday-school, Richmond. ...	91 18	
Zion Church, Fairfax C. H.....	8 02	
Emmanuel Church, Fauquier.....	\$ 2 25	
Emmanuel Sunday-school, Fauquier.....	12 57	
		14 82
5—Cople Parish.....		45 75
10—Christ Church Parish Sunday-school.....	\$12 90	
Wicomico Chapel Sunday-school.....	2 10	

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April 20—White Chapel.....	5 00	
Grace.....	5 00	
Virginia Female Institute, one-half Sunday-school		25 00
Lenten Offering.....		17 13
Christ Church, Ridley Parish.....	\$ 7 17	
Christ Church Sunday-school, Ridley Parish.....	10 00	
		17 17
Beckford Parish Sunday-school, Shenandoah.....		12 18
Christ Church, Luray Sunday-school.....	\$ 7 00	
Calvary Church, Shenandoah Sunday-school.....	21 50	
Grace Memorial, Lynnwood Sunday-school,	17 25	45 75
Meade Parish, Fauquier.....	\$16 00	
John's Parish, Loudoun	9 70	25 70
St. Peter's Church Sunday-school, New Kent.....		11 92
21—St. Mary's Sunday-school, Goochland.		4 75
St. James' Church Sunday-school, Leesburg.....		22 44
Abingdon Church, Gloucester.....		5 38
Abingdon Sunday-school, Gloucester.....		5 48
Holy Innocents' Chapel, Gloucester, Sunday-school additional.....		3 14
Ware Parish, Gloucester, Sunday-school additional..		1 00
22—Emmanuel Church, Henrico.....		516 52
Christ Church, Mathews.....		13 24
Trinity, Mathews.....		2 00
Grace, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier		10 80
St. Luke's, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....		2 46
St. Stephen's, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....		2 61
Grace Church, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....		4 96
St. Stephen's, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....		4 31
St. James' Church, Richmond		362 61
Willie and Harvey Cox, Fork Church, Hanover		1 15
Fork Church Sunday-school, Hanover.....		19 26
St. Peter's Church, Westmoreland.....	\$1. 00	
St. Peter's Sunday-school, Westmoreland.....	3 16	
Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland.....	2 24	
Payne's Sunday-school, Westmoreland....	5 00	11 40
23—Beckford Parish, Woodstock.....	\$3 63	
Beckford Sunday-school, Woodstock, additional	65	4 28

Diocesan Missions.

25—Pohick Church Suaday-school.....	20 78
Leeds Parish, Fauquier.....	24 58
27—Fork Church, branch of Woman's Auxiliary.....	5 00
St. Margaret's Chapel Sunday-school, Caroline county,	4 65
Woman's Auxiliary, Epiphany Church, Barton	
Heights.....	10 00
Children of St. John's Church, Albemarle, additional,	6 55
Sallie Thomas, Christ Church, Albemarle..	1 45
Southern Churchman for publishing marriage.....	50
Miss Sallie Hooe, through St. Stephen's Church,	
Fauquier.....	5 00
St. Paul's Church, Haymarket	28 00
Mrs. A. J. Hobson, Mrs. Wise, Miss Eliza Hupper,	
and Miss Rosa Brooks, Ashland.....	5 00
St. James' Church Sunday-school, Ashland.....	32 00
28—St. John's Church Mission, Richmond.....	51 36
St. John's Sunday-school, Richmond.....	76 24
St. Luke's Chapel Sunday-school, Richmond.....	4 62
29—Grace Church, Caroline	8 82
Wm. C. and Geo. B. Wickham, Hanover.....	3 40
Church of Our Saviour Sunday-school, Hanover....	3 48
St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....	226 48
Church of the Holy Trinity Sunday-school, Rich-	
mond.....	66 65
St. James' Church Sunday-school, Richmond..	162 00
Grace Church, Richmond	5 25
St. Paul's Church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	274 20
30—All Saints' Church, Richmond.....	157 02
Westover Parish, Charles City.....	20 27
Christ Church, Richmond.....	16 39
1—Grace Sunday-school, Albemarle.....	62 00
St. John's, Louisa.....	17 83
Little Cecilia and Louise Miller, Frederick county...	2 53
2—Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.....	3 70
Trinity Sunday-school, Fredericksburg.....	2 40
4—Holy Trinity, Richmond..	19 00
St. Peter's, New Kent, additional.....	79
Miss A. S. Edrington's work, Wide Water.....	2 28
Grace Church evening Sunday-school, Alexandria...	6 53
St. Martin's Parish, Hanover.....	5 00
Emmanuel, Richmond county	6 35
4—St. James' Sunday-school, Richmond	14 81
5—Christ Church, Charlottesville	\$65 02
Christ Church Sunday-school, Charlottesville	47 25

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May	7—Wickliffe Missionary Society, Wickliffe	18 09
	Grace and Trinity Sunday-schools, Whittle Parish...	20 00
	St. George's Church, Fredericksburg	85 00
	St. Paul's, Rappahannock county	9 54
	Trinity Church Sunday-school, Washington county ..	15 28
	Trinity Church collections, Washington county	2 91
	Meade Memorial, White Post	2 66
	Meade Memorial Sunday-school, White Post	4 50
	8—St. Andrew's Church	13 08
	Woman's Missionary Society, St. Paul's Church, Alex- andria	74 22
	Rev. E. Meade:	
	St. David's, King William county.	\$10 00
	St. John's, Essex	2 84
	Piedmont Church, Madison	7 00
	Calvary, Warren	5 02
		24 86
11	—Grace, Richmond	121 06
	Monumental Church Sunday-school Easter offering, 1895	\$96 73
	Monumental Church Sunday-school Easter offering, 1896	69 14
		165 87
	St. Luke's Church, Richmond	6 00
		\$9,357 54

DISBURSEMENTS.

1895			
June	1	Rev. E. Meade—Salary	\$100 00
		Expenses	7 79
			\$107 79
	3	John S. Douglas	25 00
		W. B. Williams	37 50
	5	Carter Page	25 00
	11	D. C. T. Davis	37 50
	12	W. B. Williams	31 25
	14	Edward Valentine Jones	62 50
		I. H. Birkhead	62 50
	17	I. T. L. Hynes, sent to J. W. Newland	41 67
	18	Charles H. Lee, Jr.	25 00
	21	S. S. Hepburn	62 50
	25	Stamped envelopes	55
	26	Rev. Thomas Semmes	50 00
July	2	F. M. Ambler	25 00

Diocesan Missions.

2—	James Grammer.....	50 00
	J. R. Ellis.....	87 50
	John McNabb.....	37 50
5—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	17 40
		117 40
7—	W. W. Brander.....	25 00
8—	W. C. Latané.....	68 75
10—	William B. Lee.....	37 50
	S. S. Ware.....	50 00
15—	Preston Nash.....	75 00
16—	A. B. Chinn.....	50 00
	Baughman Stationery Company, printed postals.....	6 25
18—	Rev. A. C. Thomson.....	50 00
	John D. LaMothe.....	37 50
	E. W. Cowling.....	25 00
22—	J. Hervey Hundley.....	37 50
1—	William Ellis Jones, printing.....	7 00
5—	Rev. E. B. Burwell.....	50 00
	Pike Powers.....	125 00
7—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	7 65
		107 65
8	Charles C. Harrison.....	37 50
14—	Job Turner, for one year.....	25 00
15—	Job Turner, for one year.....	25 00
	Edward A. Temple.....	37 50
17—	J. C. Gray.....	12 50
24—	Charles H. Lee, Jr.....	25 00
29—	W. B. Williams.....	25 00
4—	John S. Douglas.....	25 00
	Stamped envelopes.....	55
5—	Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	9 11
		109 11
8—	D. C. T. Davis.....	37 50
12—	W. B. Williams, Assistant Treasurer.....	37 50
19—	Carter Page.....	25 00
23—	S. S. Hepburn—Check.....	\$57 50
	Diocesan Missionary Society.....	5 00
		62 50
30—	T. M. Ambler.....	25 00
	Henry F. Kloman.....	25 00
	James Grammer.....	62 50

Treasurer's Account.			
Oct.	2—	A. C. Thomson.....	50 00
		John McNabb.....	37 50
	4—	J. H. Hundley.....	37 50
	5—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	14 00
			114 00
	7—	J. R. Ellis.....	87 50
	9—	Thomas Semmes.....	50 00
		Edward Valentine Jones.....	31 25
		E. W. Cowling.....	25 00
		William B. Lee.....	37 50
		W. B. Williams.....	20 84
		Preston Nash.....	75 00
	4—	W. C. Latané.....	68 75
	14—	E. B. Burwell.....	50 00
	16—	S. S. Ware.....	50 00
	17—	G. O. Meade.....	62 50
		A. B. Chinn.....	50 00
		John D. LaMothe.....	37 50
Nov.	1—	W. B. Williams.....	25 00
	2—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	11 60
			111 60
	4—	W. B. Williams, Assistant Treasurer.....	37 50
	5—	P. Powers.....	125 00
	12—	Charles H. Lee.....	25 00
		Charles S. Harrison.....	37 50
	15—	J. C. Gray.....	12 50
	28—	Edward A. Temple.....	37 50
Dec.	2—	John S. Douglas.....	25 00
		Stamped envelopes.....	1 09
		Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	14 00
			114 00
	13—	Carter Page.....	25 00
	18—	D. C. T. Davis.....	37 50
	19—	S. S. Hepburn.....	62 50
	20—	Special Donation.....	50 00
	28—	Rev. Henry F. Kroman.....	50 00
		Edward Valentine Jones.....	31 25
	31—	G. O. Meade.....	62 50
1896.			
Jan.	1—	J. R. Ellis.....	87 50
		Preston Nash.....	75 00

Diocesan Missions.

2—	E. Meade—Salary	\$100 00	
	Expenses.....	18 50	
			118 50
	John McGill		75 00
	John McNabb		37 50
	J. J. Clopton.....		37 50
3—	E. W. Cowling		25 00
6—	Stationery		25
	Rev. Thomas Semmes.....		50 00
7—	James Grammer.....		62 50
	W. C. Latané		68 75
13—	Postal cards.....		25
14—	Rev. S. S. Ware.....		50 00
	E. B. Burwell.....		50 00
17—	J. H. Hundley.....		37 50
20—	A. B. Chinn.....		50 00
24—	R. H. Curtis, for mite-boxes.....		76 00
28—	Rev. Hugh Martin.....		50 00
	W. B. Williams.....		25 00
3—	Pike Powers.....		125 00
4—	E. Meade		103 00
	John D. LaMothe.....		37 50
	J. C. Gray.....		12 50
8—	Charles H. Lee.....		25 00
12—	Charles S. Harrison.....		37 50
18—	W. B. Williams, Assistant Treasurer.....		37 50
2—	E. A. Temple.....		37 50
3—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00	
	Expenses.....	5 50	
			105 50
4—	Carter Page		25 00
5—	John S. Douglas		25 00
	William Ellis Jones		25 00
9—	Rev. John D. LaMothe, special.....		50 00
	D. C. T. Davis		37 50
10—	R. H. Curtis.....		16 25
14—	Rev. J. J. Clopton.....		37 50
24—	William B. Lee.....		75 00
1—	J. R. Ellis.....		37 50
	S. S. Hepburn.....		62 50
	E. Meade—Salary		100 00
3—	Thomas Semmes.....		50 00
	Henry F. Kloman		25 00
	John McNabb.....		37 50

Treasurer's Account,

April	3—	John McGill	75 00
	4—	E. W. Cowling	25 00
	7—	W. C. Latané	68 75
		James Grammer	62 50
		G. O. Meade	62 50
	8—	E. Meade, for expenses	12 15
	11—	S. S. Ware	50 00
	15—	J. H. Hundley	37 50
		John D. LaMothe	37 50
	18—	A. B. Chinn	50 00
	20—	E. B. Burwell	50 00
	25—	Edward Valentine Jones	31 25
May	1—	W. B. Williams	25 00
		J. C. Gray	12 50
		P. Powers	125 00
	7—	Charles S. Harrison	37 50
	8—	E. Meade	113 45
	9—	Paid William Ellis Jones for postals	4 00
		Interest paid State Bank on advances	7 64
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			\$7,029 21
Balance at credit of Society			2,328 25
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			\$9,357 54

E. & O. E.

JOHN L. WILLIAMS,
Treasurer.

Richmond, May 11, 1896.

Receipts by Diocesan Missionary Society from
Sunday-schools, Mile-Boxes, &c.

RECEIPTS.

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1895.		
May	13—Grace Church, Richmond.....	\$150 ⁸³ / ₁₀₀
	14—Christ Church, Gordonsville	4 ²⁰ / ₁₀₀
	20—Piedmont, Louisa..	15 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
	23—Emmanuel, Culpeper	2 ²⁵ / ₁₀₀
	Westover Parish, Charles City	33 ⁴⁵ / ₁₀₀
	Zion Church, Fairfax.	7 ²¹ / ₁₀₀
	Holy Trinity, Richmond..	30 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀

Diocesan Missions.

24—Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland.	10 15
25—St. Mathew's and Vawter's, Essex	8 23
28—Wicomico Chapel, Northumberland.	1 00
5—St. Martin's, Hanover.	38
12—Trinity, Fredericksburg	1 83
14—Overwharton Parish.	8 47
St. Anne's Parish, Essex.	7 73
22—Abingdon Parish, Gloucester.	2 15
Ware Parish, Gloucester.	1 98
Abingdon Parish, additional, Gloucester.	4 15
9—St. Stephen's, Culpeper.	67
18—Virginia Female Institute Sunday-school, Staunton, one-half Lenten offering.	20 32
21—St. Andrew's, Richmond.	3 33
2—St. James', Richmond.	15 44
4—St. Andrew's, Richmond.	1 43
30—St. Andrew's, Richmond.	53
1896.	
24—St. Andrew's, Richmond.	1 21
7—Grace, Berryville	48 83
Ware Parish, Gloucester.	11 25
8—All Saints', Richmond.	1 31
Fall's Church.	26 20
St. James', Warrenton.	30 00
St. George's, Fredericksburg.	90 00
St. Stephen's, Culpeper.	21 90
Calvary, Culpeper.	3 60
9—Piedmont, Madison.	15 80
St. John's Church, Essex.	17 52
St. Paul's, Essex.	5 62
11—Emmanuel, Harrisonburg.	13 03
Christ, Goresville.	5 11
St. Paul's, Hamilton.	19 00
St. Thomas', Orange.	40 94
St. Andrew's, Shenandoah.	4 56
13—St. Paul's, Alexandria.	75 00
14—Children's Missionary Society, Washington Parish.	6 00
Children's Mite-Boxes, Montross Parish.	6 24
Grace, Alexandria.	6 80
15—St. Timothy's, Hamilton.	18 39
Trinity, Manassas.	10 35
St. Paul's, Culpeper.	15 00
St. Mark's, Richmond.	44 00

Treasurer's Account,

April 15—Mr. J. H. Beverley's children, St. Anne's Parish. . .	2 57
C. J. Sales' children, St. Anne's Parish.....	2 26
Robert Beverley's children, St. Anne's Parish.....	8 80
17—St. Paul's Church, Hanover	2 54
18—All Saints' Chapel, Slaughter Parish.....	5 00
Emmanuel Church, Rapidan.	6 25
St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.....	91 18
Emmanuel Church, Fauquier.....	12 57
20—Christ Church Parish.....	12 90
Wicomico Chapel.....	2 10
Virginia Female Institute Sunday-school, one-half Lenten offering	17 13
Christ Church, Ridley Parish.....	10 00
Beckford Parish, Shenandoah	12 18
Christ Church, Luray	7 00
Calvary, Shenandoah.....	21 90
Grace Memorial, Lynnwood.....	17 25
St. Peter's Church, New Kent	11 92
21—St. Mary's, Goochland.....	4 75
St. James', Leesburg.....	22 44
Abingdon Church, Gloucester.....	5 48
Holy Innocents' Chapel, Gloucester, additional.....	3 14
Ware Parish, Gloucester, additional	1 00
22—Grace Church, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....	\$10 80
St. Luke's, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....	2 46
St. Stephen's, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....	2 61
Grace Church, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....	4 96
St. Stephen's, Mite-Boxes, Fauquier.....	4 31
Willie and Harvey Cox, Fork Church, Hanover.....	25 14
Fork Church, Hanover.....	1 15
St. Peter's, Westmoreland	19 29
Payne's Chapel, Westmoreland.....	3 16
23—Beckford Parish, Woodstock, additional.....	5 00
25—Pohick Church Sunday-school.....	65
27—St. Margaret's Chapel Sunday-school, Caroline county,	20 78
Children of St. John's Church, Albemarle county....	4 65
Sallie Thomas, Christ Church, Albemarle county....	6 55
St. James' Church Sunday-school, Ashland.. ..	1 45
28—St. John's Church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	32 00
St. Luke's Church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	76 24
Christ Church Sunday-school, Alexandria	4 62
29—Wm. C. and Geo. B. Wickham.....	74 94
	3 40

Dioecesan Missions.

ril 29—	Church of Our Saviour Sunday-school, Hanover.....	3 48
	Church of the Holy Trinity Sunday-school, Richmond,	66 65
	St. James' Church Sunday-school, Richmond.....	162 00
	St. Paul's Sunday-school, Richmond.....	274 20
30—	All Saints', Westover Parish.....	20 27
y 1—	Grace Sunday-school, Albemarle.....	62 00
	Little Cecilia and Louise Miller, Frederick county...	2 53
2—	Trinity Sunday-school, Fredericksburg.....	2 40
4—	St. Peter's Sunday-school, New Kent, additional....	79
	Grace Church Evening Sunday-school, Alexandria...	6 53
	St. James' Sunday-school, Richmond.....	14 81
5—	Christ Sunday-school, Charlottesville.....	47 25
7—	Grace and Trinity Sunday-schools, Whittle Parish....	20 00
	Trinity Church Sunday-school, Washington, Va.....	15 28
	Meade Memorial Sunday-school, White Post.....	4 50
r 11—	Monumental Church, Richmond, Easter offering, 1895,	96 73
	Monumental Church, Richmond, Easter offering, 1896,	69 14

\$2,403 93

*The Society for the Relief of Disabled Clergymen of the
Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia,
In account with WILLIAM H. PALMER, Treasurer*

1895.		
May	1—Cash in City Bank to the credit of the Society by last report at this date.....	\$1,020

RECEIPTS FROM THE CHURCHES.

May	1—Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.....	\$20 77
	2—Emmanuel Chapel, King and Queen	2 00
	7—St. Paul's, Ivy Depot.....	8 25
	Emmanuel Church, Greenwood	3 50
June	7—Calvary Church, Shenandoah.....	72
	11—Professor Crawford	5 00
Dec.	11—Zion Church, Truro Parish, Fairfax.....	7 40
	26—St. James' Church, Richmond	83 09
	27—St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.....	30 00
	St. John's Church, King George C. H.	4 50
	Christ Church, Ridley Parish.....	3 50
	All Saints' Memorial Chapel, Culpeper....	2 00
	28—Ware Parish, Gloucester.....	4 00
	30—St. Andrew's Church, Richmond	10 56
	St. Luke's, Essex county.....	4 00
1896.	St. Mark's Church, Richmond.....	11 35
Jan.	1—Washington Parish, Westmoreland.....	3 25
	St. John's Church, St. Anne's Parish	4 00
	2—J. C. Richardson through So. Churchman.	5 00
	3—Monumental Church, Richmond	15 84
	Emmanuel Church, Piedmont Parish.....	2 13
	Cople Parish, Westmoreland.....	4 17
	4—St. John's Church, Richmond.....	27 19
	6—Grace Memorial Church, Rockingham....	19 79
	The Seminary—C. Walker	27 80
	8—Grace Church, Berryville.....	28 55
	10—Emmanuel Church, Rapidan	10 99
	St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper.....	5 00
	Buck Mountain Church, Fredericksville Parish.	2 50
	St. Thomas' Church, Orange.....	9 36
	The Seminary Mission.....	3 20
	15—St. James' Church, Warrenton.....	23 97
	Christ Church, Alexandria	50 00
	Leed's Parish, Fauquier.....	9 50

Disabled Clergymen.

y 18—Rev. W. M. Ambler	12 85	
27—Christ Church, Charlottesville	36 00	
St. Paul's Church, Raccoon Ford	5 00	
28—St. Paul's Church, Richmond	115 88	
11—Pohick Church	1 50	
All Saints' Church, Richmond	47 81	
Holy Trinity, Richmond	43 39	
Wicomoco Chapel, Northumberland co. . .	4 00	
13—St. Paul's Church, Alexandria	106 00	
23—Mrs. K. A. Hackett, Louisa	25	
26—Emmanuel Church, Henrico	380 38	
2—Fall's Church Parish	3 50	
4—Westover Parish, Charles City county	11 40	
11—St. Mark's Church, Richmond, additional,	2 90	
il 3—Christ Church, Gordonsville	1 67	
7—Grace Church, Berryville, additional	6 20	
11—Beckford Parish, Shenandoah	1 29	
Rev. James Grammer	10 00	
Whittle Parish	15 00	
13—Grace Church, Richmond	42 13	
St. Peter's, Port Royal	3 41	
Grace Church, Caroline	1 06	
Rev. John McNabb, King George C. H. . .	4 38	
16—St. Luke's, Powhatan county	6 92	
St. John's Church, Warsaw	7 89	
Grace Memorial, Lynnwood	15 00	
21—Grace Church, Fauquier county	50	
22—Leed's Parish, Fauquier county, additional	1 00	
Amount received from the churches	—	\$1,340 19
		<u>\$2,360 90</u>

DEBTOR.

395.		
15—Rev. T. M. Ambler, Ashland	\$100 00	
396. Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Rockingham,	100 00	
Rev. T. E. Locke, Glendower, Albemarle,	100 00	
h 23—Rev. T. M. Ambler, Norfolk	300 00	
Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Rocking-		
ham	300 00	
Rev. T. E. Locke, Glendower, Albemarle,	300 00	
Total disbursements	1,200 00	1,200 00
		<u>\$1,160 90</u>

Treasurer's Account,

INVESTED FUNDS—RECEIPTS.

1896.

May 1—By this amount received of J. M. Ball, Treasurer, collections from securities in possession of the Virginia Trust Company:

1895.

July 1—Petersburg R. R. bonds.....	\$100 00	
Richmond and Danville bonds..	90 00	
Georgia Pacific R. R. bonds....	25 00	
City of Richmond stock.....	15 00	
Virginia Century, 2's.....	30 00	
Virginia bonds, 3's.....	30 00	
		\$290 00
Oct. 1—Petersburg "B" bonds.....		30 00

1896.

Jan'y 3—Petersburg R. R. bonds.....	\$100 00	
Richmond and Danville R. R. bonds.....	90 00	
Georgia Pacific R. R. bonds....	25 00	
City of Richmond bonds.....	15 00	
Virginia Century, 2's.....	30 00	
Virginia, 3's.....	30 00	
		290 00

April 1—Petersburg R. R. "B" bonds	30 00
Interest on deposits	10 55

650 55

1—Less this amount deducted, the proportion apportioned by the Committee to the Disabled Clergy Fund of the amount paid the Virginia Trust Company for taking care of the securities.....

25 00

Net amount received from Mr. Ball, Tr..

625 55

Jan'y 1—Interest received from City Bank on balances	26 67
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Total receipts from the invested funds. \$652 22

652 22

May 2—Balance cash on deposit in City Bank	\$1,813 11
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 Disabled Clergymen.

ASSETS OF THE SOCIETY, MAY 2, 1896.

Deposit with the Virginia Trust Company.

Richmond and Danville R. R. Co. bonds	\$3,240 00
Virginia Pacific R. R. Co. bonds	900 00
Richmond R. R. "B" bonds	1,090 00
State of Virginia 3's bonds	1,350 00
Richmond City Registered 6's bonds	550 00
Richmond R. R. "A" bonds	4,240 00
State of Virginia Century bonds	1,773 75
Balance in City Bank of Richmond, May 2, 1896	1,813 12
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	\$14,956 87

Respectfully submitted,

J. E.

WILLIAM H. PALMER,
Treasurer.

RICHMOND, VA., *May 8, 1896.*

We have examined the within account and find the same correct, and the amounts sustained by proper vouchers.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
JAMES N. BOYD.

E. B. ADDISON, *Treasurer, in account with*
the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

1895.		
May	1—To balance on hand last report.....	\$2,037 94
June	13—To cash from St. Mark's Church, Richmond.....	4 65
	To cash Theological Seminary, Alexandria.....	5 00
	To cash from "S. W. C.".....	1 00
	To cash Emmanuel Church, Tappahannock.....	2 00
	15—To cash from M. L. Triplett, Beckford Parish.....	2 00
	23—To cash from Kinston Parish, Mathews county.....	2 00
	To cash from Rev. James Grammer.....	8 00
	To cash from Grace Church, Goochland C. H.	2 00
Oct.	11—To cash from St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.....	10 00
	To cash from Rev. James Grammer.....	5 00
	To cash from a communicant Grace Church, Berryville.....	1 00
Dec.	6—To cash from "A Friend".. ..	1 00
	To cash from St. James' Church, Richmond.....	74 46
	31—To cash from St. John's Church, Richmond.....	16 44
	To cash from Abingdon Parish, Gloucester county...	2 33
1896.	To cash from Ware Parish, Gloucester county.....	2 33
Jan'y	18—To cash from St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper.....	7 40
	To cash from St. James' Church, Leesburg.....	28 83
	To cash from St. Thomas' Church, Orange.. ..	9 37
	To cash from Monumental Church, Richmond.....	15 85
	To cash from Rev. T. M. Ambler.....	12 85
	22—To cash from St. George's Church, Fredericksburg..	40 00
Feb'y	18—To cash from Pohick Church, Springman.....	1 34
	To cash from Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock county.....	4 09
	To cash from Whittle Parish, Fauquier county.....	5 00
	To cash from All Saints' Church, Richmond.....	47 82
	To cash from St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....	91 70
	25—To cash from St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.....	5 00
	To cash from Mrs. "K. A. Hackett".....	50
M'ch	14—To cash from Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.....	3 00
	To cash from Westover Parish, Charles City county..	9 50
	To cash from St. Timothy's Church, Herndon.....	1 80
	To cash from Christ Church, Chantilly.....	2 40
	To cash from Christ Church, Winchester.....	56 55
	To cash from Seminary Chapel, Alexandria.....	24 86
	To cash from St. Paul's Church, King George county,	2 00

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

4—To cash from Christ Church, Ridley Parish, Culpeper county	5 00
To cash from a member St. Paul's Church, Alexandria	10 00
21—To cash from St. Paul's Church, Culpeper	5 00
To cash from Trinity Church, Fredericksburg	6 65
To cash from St. John's Church, King George C. H.,	2 00
To cash from Grace Church, Berryville	18 05
To cash from Emmanuel Church, Rapidan	4 00
22—To cash from St. Anne's Parish, Essex county	1 75
To cash from "Anonymous"	1 00
4—To cash from Christ Church, Charlottesville	25 49
To cash from J. M. Ball, Treasurer, as follows:	
City Richmond, July, '95, interest	18 00
R. & D. coupons, July, '95, interest	120 00
Sloss Iron & Steel Company, August, '95, interest...	30 00
Petersburg R. R., October, '95, interest	120 00
Char. Col. & Aug. R. R., October, '95, interest	35 00
City Richmond, January, '96, interest	18 00
R. & D. R. R. coupons, January, '96, interest	120 00
Sloss Iron & Steel Co., February, '96, interest	30 00
Char. Col. & Aug. R. R., April, '96, interest	35 00
Petersburg R. R., April, '96, interest	120 00
Interest Deposit Savings Bank, Richmond	10 55
1—To cash from interest on deposit City Bank to date...	40 37
	<u>\$3,322 87</u>

To balance on hand in City Bank, Richmond, Va., as
per Deposit Book

\$1,362 87

3—By cash disbursements as follows:

First half Semi-Annual appropriation.

No. 1, Mrs. A. J. W. Hobson	\$100 00
2, Mrs. A. W. Weddell	100 00
3, Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe	100 00
4, Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh	62 50
5, Mrs. John P. McGuire	62 50
6, Mrs. M. B. Ward	62 50
7, Mrs. E. B. McGuire	30 00
8, Mrs. Philip Slaughter	50 00
9, Mrs. W. H. Stringfellow	62 50
10, Miss Mina Dashiell	100 00
11, Mrs. W. C. Meredith	75 00

Treasurer's Account, Widow's and Orphan's Fund.

June 3—No.	12, Mrs. Kinloch Nelson	50 00
	13, Misses Annie and Elizabeth Nelson.....	50 00
	14, Misses Lucy W., Susan R., and Henrietta Pendleton	62 50
Nov. 30—	Second half appropriation.	
	15, Mrs. A. J. W. Hobson....	100 00
	16, Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	100 00
	17, Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe	100 00
	18, Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.	62 50
	19, Mrs. John P. McGuire	62 50
	20, Mrs. M. B. Ward	62 50
	21, Mrs. E. B. McGuire	30 00
	22, Mrs. Philip Slaughter.....	50 00
	23, Mrs. W. H. Stringfellow.....	62 50
	24, Miss Mina Dashiell.	100 00
	25, Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	75 00
	26, Mrs. Kinloch Nelson	50 00
	27, Miss Annie Nelson	50 00
1896.	28, Miss Lucy W. Pendleton.....	62 50
Jan. 25—	Paid Virginia Trust Company by J. M. Ball, Treasurer	25 00
		<u>\$1,960 00</u>
	By balance.....	1,362 87
		<u>\$3,322 87</u>

SECURITIES DEPOSITED WITH THE VIRGINIA TRUST COMPANY.

City of Richmond bonds.....	600
Petersburg R. R. bonds, "Class B"	4,000
Sloss Iron and Steel bond.....	1,000
Charlotte, Columbia, and A. R. R. bond.....	1,000
Richmond and Danville bonds.....	4,000

Respectfully submitted,

E. & O. E.

E. B. ADDISON,

Treasurer Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

May 8, 1896.

RICHMOND, May 8, 1896.

We have examined the within account and find the same correct, and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
JAMES N. BOYD.

Report of JAMES M. BALL, Treasurer of the Bruce Fund.

CR.	
95.	
1—By balance.....	\$ 145 26
1— Virginia State Agricultural Society coupons.	30 00
2— City Bank interest.....	6 00
City of Richmond.....	10 00
South Side R. R. coupon	15 00
3— Randolph-Macon College coupon	60 00
1— Petersburg R. R. coupon.....	60 00
3— Atlanta and Charlotte R. R. coupon.....	15 00
2— Virginia State Agricultural Society coupon	30 00
96.	
3— City Bank interest.....	7 50
City of Richmond interest.....	10 00
South Side R. R. coupon.....	15 00
1— Randolph-Macon College.....	55 00
il 1— Petersburg R. R. coupon	60 00
Atlanta and Charlotte R. R. coupon.....	15 00
Interest on deposit	10 54
	<u>\$544 30</u>
DR.	
95.	
8—To draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. R. J. Ellis.....	\$ 50 00
Draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. Jno. D. LaMothe	50 00
8— Draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. E. Meade, churches in Caroline county.....	100 00
5— Purchase two shares City Bank stock (on acc't)..	21 50
96.	
25— Paid Virginia Trust Company.....	25 00
31— Draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. H. B. Lee.....	78 63
Draft Bishop Whittle, favor Rev. E. L. Goodwin.....	78 63
Balance in bank	140 54
	<u>\$544 30</u>

SECURITIES ON DEPOSIT IN THE VIRGINIA TRUST COMPANY.

Petersburg R. R. bonds, class "B," 6%.....	\$2,000
Atlanta and Charlotte R. R. bonds, income bond, 6%.....	500
South Side R. R. bonds, 3's preferred, 6%.....	500
Virginia State Agricultural Society bonds, 6%.....	1,000
Randolph-Macon College bonds, 5½%.....	2,000

Treasurer's Account, Bruce Fund.

City of Richmond bonds, 5%.....	400
City Bank of Richmond, ten shares, 6%.....	250

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. BALL,
Treasurer.

RICHMOND, VA., May 8, 1896.

We have examined the within account and find the same correct, and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
JAMES N. BOYD,

Report of C. C. BAUGHMAN, Treasurer Episcopal Fund.

1895.		
1—	By balance	\$335 10
2—	Chr. and R. coupon.	60 00
	Virginia coupon	15 00
	Alexandria coupon.	29 21
t. 3—	Virginia Midland R. R. coupon	34 00
1896.		
3—	Chr. and R. coupon.	60 00
	Virginia coupon	15 00
	City of Alexandria coupon	29 19
ch 2—	Virginia Midland coupon.	34 00
il 30—	Interest on deposit	10 55
96.		
25—	To paid Virginia Trust Company	\$ 25 00
	Balance	597 05
		<u>\$622 05</u>
		<u>\$622 05</u>

SECURITIES DEPOSITED WITH THE VIRGINIA TRUST COMPANY.

Virginia Midland R. R. bonds, 300 6%, 1,000 5%	\$1,300
Chattanooga and Rapidan bonds, 6%	2,000
City of Alexandria bonds	1,600
Virginia bonds, 3%	1,000

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. BAUGHMAN.
Treasurer.

RICHMOND, May 8, 1896.

We have examined the within account and find the same correct.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
JAMES N. BOYD.

Treasurer's Account, Bethany Institute.

May 18, 1896.

To Bishop F. M. WHITTLE:

DEAR SIR,—I herewith file you a statement showing the condition of the Bethany Institute Fund, of which I am Treasurer.

Very sincerely yours,

ROSEWELL PAGE.

STATEMENT.

Bethany Institute, in account with ROSEWELL PAGE, Treasurer.

CR.

1892.		
Jan'y 1—	By amount on hand this date according to bank-book, City Bank, Richmond, Va., and report filed.	\$59 81
1895.		
Dec. 2—	By amount this day received from Bishop Whittle, All Saints' Memorial Chapel, Culpeper	\$4 00
	F. M. W.	5 00
		9 00
1896.		
May 15—	By amount this day received from Bishop Whittle (donation).	642 39
15—	By amount interest drawn and deposited so as to bear interest at 4%	12 79
	Interest allowed by bank, according to bank-book of Treasurer	8 98
		<u>\$732 97</u>

DR.

1896.		
May 15—	To amount check drawn and deposited so as to bear interest (contra)	\$ 12 79
15—	To balance in name of the Treasurer (R. Page, Treasurer) on deposit in the City Bank, Richmond, Va.	720 18
		<u>\$732 97</u>
1896.		
May 15—	Amount in City Bank, Richmond, Va., to credit of Rosewell Page, Treasurer Bethany Institute.	\$720 18

CONTINGENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,
in account with JAMES T. GRAY, Treasurer.

-By cash balance on hand in City Bank of Richmond	\$ 361 57	
- Amount received subsequent to May 13, 1895.....	7,402 91	
	<hr/>	\$7,764 48
- Amount received from June 15, 1895, to January 25, 1896, and subsequent to publication of the Journal:		
Prince William, Haymarket, St. Paul's, Westmoreland, Cople, Nominy, Yeocomico, Cople Chapel.....	\$17 25	
King William, St. John's, St. John's ...	3 00	
Stafford, Overwharton, Acquia.....	1 00	
Fauquier, Hamilton, St. James'... ..	8 50	
Fairfax, Fairfax, Theological Seminary,	46 00	
Fauquier, Leed's, Leed's	29 33	
Clarke, Cunningham Chapel, Christ, Emmanuel Chapel, Old Chapel.....	4 00	
Goochland, St. James', Northam, Grace	2 00	
Clarke, Clarke, Grace.....	7 50	
Received of Diocese of Southern Virginia its share of extra assessment made by General Convention of 1892,	5 00	
Albemarle, St. Anne's, Christ	41 50	
Albemarle, St. Anne's, St. John's.....	5 00	
Essex, St. Anne's, Vawter's, and St. Matthew's	5 00	
Fauquier, Emmanuel, Grace	5 00	
Gloucester, Abingdon, Abingdon	10 93	
Gloucester, Ware, Ware	7 80	
Fairfax, Fairfax, Fall's	9 00	
Fauquier, John's, Emmanuel	2 00	
	<hr/>	214 81
James T. Gray in full for interest due on loan \$1,500.	59 50	
Jas. T. Gray in full of loan on demand.	1,500 00	
City Bank of Richmond 4% interest on deposits	37 21	
	<hr/>	1,596 71
		\$9,576 00

Treasurer's Account,

May	14—	To Bishop J. B. Newton, on account of salary to June 16, 1895.....	\$ 50 00	
	21—	Bishop J. B. Newton, in full of salary to June 16, 1895.....	\$200 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, expenses to date.....	14 65	
			<u>214 65</u>	
		Sexton for services at Council.....	15 00	
	23—	Rev. Everard Meade, on account of salary as Secretary.....	100 00	
	24—	Rev. W. C. Latané, in full for services as Assistant-Secretary.....	25 00	
		R. S. Chamberlayne, in full for services to Treasurer.....	50 00	
		R. S. Chamberlayne, travelling expenses to Council.....	6 90	
		Rev. Everard Meade, travelling expenses to Council.....	10 00	
	28—	Rev. W. M. Clarke, salary for six months.....	\$50 00	
		Rev. W. M. Clarke, expenses.....	5 00	
			<u>55 00</u>	
June	1—	Bishop J. B. Newton, house rent to June 1, 1895.....	50 00	
	7—	W. E. Jones, on account of Journals,	250 00	
	17—	Bishop J. B. Newton, salary to July 16, 1895....	\$250 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, house rent to July 1, 1895.....	50 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, expenses to date.....	8 85	
			<u>308 85</u>	
July	11—	W. E. Jones, for expressage, postage, mailing Journals & Reviews,	55 00	
	16—	Bishop J. B. Newton, salary to August 16, 1895..	\$250 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, house rent to August 1, 1895.....	50 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, expenses to date.....	21 04	
			<u>321 04</u>	

Contingent Fund.

-	W. E. Jones, in full for Journals....	135 00
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary for first quarter....	\$750 00
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses	26 00
		<u>776 00</u>
-	Bishop J. B. Newton, salary to September 16, 1895	\$250 00
	Bishop J. B. Newton, rent to September 1, 1895...	50 00
	Bishop J. B. Newton, expenses	8 10
		<u>308 10</u>
-	Rev. Everard Meade, on account of salary	50 00
-	Rev. Everard Meade, on account of salary	25 00
-	Bishop J. B. Newton, salary to October 16, 1895.	\$250 00
	Bishop J. B. Newton, rent to October 1, 1895.....	50 00
	Bishop J. B. Newton, expenses.....	19 56
		<u>319 56</u>
-	Baughman Stationery Company 1,000 copies P. E. Review.....	40 00
-	Rev. H. Suter, salary last one-half year 1894-'95..	\$50 00
	Rev. H. Suter, salary first one-half year 1895-'96..	50 00
	Rev. H. Suter, expenses,	3 50
		<u>103 50</u>
-	Rev. J. K. Mason, expenses to General Convention.....	89 00
	Rev. Hartley Carmichael, expenses to General Convention.....	100 00
-	General Convention assessment for 1895	\$234 00
	General Convention extra assessment for 1892....	78 50
		<u>312 50</u>
-	Bishop J. B. Newton, salary to November 16, 1895.....	\$250 00

Treasurer's Account,

Oct.	16—	Bishop J. B. Newton, rent to November 1, 1895...	50 00	
				300 00
	25—	Bishop J. B. Newton, expenses to General Convention.....		62 00
		Rev. Everard Meade, salary in full..		25 00
Nov.	5—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, sal- ary second quarter.	\$750 00	
		Bishop F. M. Whittle, ex- penses to date.....	10 50	
				760 50
	8—	Rev. G. W. Nelson, expenses to General Convention.....		100 00
	14—	Rev. C. E. Grammer, expenses to General Convention.....		95 00
	16—	Bishop J. B. Newton, sal- ary to Dec. 16, 1895....	\$250 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, rent to December 1, 1895 ..	50 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, ex- penses	15 97	
				315 97
	21—	Joseph Wilmer, expenses to Gen- eral Convention.....		55 00
	29—	Rev. W. M. Clark, in full of salary.....	\$50 00	
		Rev. W. M. Clark, ex- penses	6 00	
				56 00
Dec.	16—	Bishop J. B. Newton, sal- ary to January 16, 1896, ..	\$250 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, rent to January 16, 1896....	50 00	
		Bishop J. B. Newton, ex- penses to date	21 45	
				321 45
	20—	J. Taylor Scott, expenses to General Convention		66 00
1896.				
Jan.	2—	Rev. R. A. Goodwin, sal- ary as Examining Chap- lain from Oct. 1, 1894, to October 1, 1895.....	\$100 00	
		Rev. R. A. Goodwin, ex- penses	7 46	
				107 46

 Contingent Fund.

2—	James M. Garnett, expenses to General Convention.....	85 00	
16—	Bishop J. B. Newton, salary to Feb. 16, 1896... \$250 00		
	Bishop J. B. Newton, rent to Feb. 1, 1896..... 50 00		
	Bishop J. B. Newton, expenses..... 4 00		
		304 00	
25—	Amount paid for stationery, stamps, &c..... 4 03		
	Amount paid R. S. Chamberlayne, Treasurer, in account..... 59 50		
	Amount paid R. S. Chamberlayne, Treasurer, in full..... 3,088 99		
		<u>\$9,576 00</u>	<u>\$9,576 00</u>

turned over to R. S. Chamberlayne, Treasurer:

certificate of stock of Southern R. R. Co., preferred, 29 shares, at value.....	\$2,900 00
due by estate of W. R. Quarles for dividend in Georgia Pacific bonds.....	125 00

JAMES T. GRAY,
Treasurer.

January 25, 1896.

THE CONTINGENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,
in account with R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE, Treasurer.

1896.			
Jan. 25—	By amount of balance in City Bank received of Jas. T. Gray, Treasurer		\$3,148 45
M'ch 23—	Westmoreland, Washington, St. Peter's	\$1 00	
April 10—	Loudoun, John's, Church of the Redeemer,	4 00	
	Fluvanna, Rivanna, St. John's,	1 00	
May 11—	Interest at 4% on deposits at City Bank	13 26	
			<u>19 26</u>
			\$3,167 75
Feb'y 4—	To Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary third quarter,	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses	10 00	
			<u>760 00</u>
17—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to March 16, 1896,	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to March 1, 1896,	50 00	
			<u>300 00</u>
March 4—	S. R. Owen's, Commissioner of Revenue, against Missionary Board,	1 00	
13—	Hunter & Co., bill of stationery for the Secretary,	5 55	
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to April 16, 1896,	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to April 1, 1896,	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses	2 75	
			<u>302 75</u>
April 16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to May 16, 1896,	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to May 1, 1896,	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses	19 50	
			<u>319 50</u>

Contingent Fund.

	Amt. Brought forward.....		\$3,167 75
22—	W. E. Jones, bill for printing.....	8 00	
8—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary last quarter.....	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses	24 00	
		<u>774 00</u>	
			<u>2,470 80</u>
11—	By balance on hand in City Bank of Richmond.....		<u>\$696 95</u>

MEMORANDUM.

R. R. Co. preferred stock, 29 shares, par value	\$2,900 00
by estate W. R. Quarles for dividend on Georgia Pacific roads in 1892.....	125 00

E. & O. E.

R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE,
Treasurer Diocese of Virginia.

11, 1896.

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1896.

COUNTIES.		PARISHES.		CHURCHES.		Communicants reported.	Amount Paid.	Delinquency this year.
Albemarle	Fredericksville	Buck Mountain	31	\$15 50	.....	.....
"	"	St. Paul's	112	39 00	.....	.....
"	"	St. John the Baptist Chapel	381	293 00	.....	\$88 00	
"	"	Christ	31	31 00	.....	.....
"	"	St. Luke's	112	59 50	.....	52 50	
"	Greenwood	Emmanuel	19	16 00	.....	3 00	
"	Walker's	Christ	32	19 70	.....	12 30	
"	St. Anne's	St. John's	268	268 00	.....	.....
Alexandria	Fairfax	Christ	275	275 00	.....	.....
"	"	St. Paul's	146	62 25	.....	83 75	
"	"	Grace	.....	.....	.....	.....
Caroline	Drysdale	Meade Chapel (colored)	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	St. Mary's	St. Margaret's Chapel	52	10 00	.....	12 00	
"	"	St. Peter's	56	40 00	.....	.....
Charles City	Westover	Grace	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	"	Mapleico	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	"	Westover	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	"	Grace	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clarke	Cunningham Chapel	Christ	170	89 25	.....	80 75	
"	"	Emmanuel Chapel	202	137 25	.....	64 75	
"	"	Old Chapel	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	Clarke	Grace	.....	.....	.....	.....
"	Wickliffe	Wickliffe	.....	.....	.....	.....

Treasurer's Account,

				Contingent Fund.	
"	"	Little Fork			
"	Ridley	Christ		43 50	
"	"	St. Paul's		45 00	
"	"	Calvary		51 00	
"	Slaughter	Emmanuel	51	16 00	9 00
"	"	All Saint's, Memorial	25	37 50	17 50
Essex	St. Anne's	Vauter's	55	18 00	
"	South Farnham	St. Matthews		1 00	
"	"	St. John's		30 00	
"	"	St. Luke's	26	43 00	31 00
Fairfax	Truro	Zion	74	9 00	9 00
"	"	The Good Shepherd	18	36 25	38 75
"	"	Pollock	75	10 50	7 50
"	"	Olivet	18	26 00	5 00
"	Upper Truro	Christ		38 15	18 85
"	"	Chantilly	31	61 50	50
"	"	St. Timothy's	57		
"	"	St. John's			
"	Fairfax	Falls	62		
"	"	Vienna Mission			
"	"	St. John's			
"	"	Theological Seminary Chapel		29 00	
"	"	Trinity Chapel		8 00	
"	"	St. Paul's Chapel		10 00	
"	"	The Good Shepherd (colored)		10 00	
"	"	St. John's, West End		10 50	
"	"	St. John's, Langley Mission		3 00	
"	"	Lincolnia Mission		5 00	
"	"	Sharon Mission			
"	Centreville	St. John's			
Fauquier	Hamilton	St. James'	143	143 00	
"	"	Chapel (Baldwin's Ridge)		19 00	
"	Cedar Run	St. Stephen's	19		

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1896.

COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount Paid.	Treasurer's Account,	
					Delinquency this year.	
Fauquier	Leed's	Leed's	77	\$53 00	\$24 00	
"	"	Bethel Mission	5	1 00	4 00	
"	"	South Run	3		3 00	
"	Meade	Trinity	60	42 00	18 00	
"	Whittle	Church of Our Saviour	31	31 00		
"	"	Trinity	108	108 00		
"	"	Grace				
"	"	Whittle Chapel				
"	Piedmont	Emmanuel	16	11 00	5 00	
"	Emmanuel	Grace	65	47 31	17 69	
"	"	St. Luke's	39	25 00	14 00	
Fluvanna	Rivanna	St. John's		15 55		
"	"	Grace		10 50		
Frederick	Frederick	Christ	206	206 00		
"	St. Thomas	St. Thomas'	15	10 00	5 00	
Gloucester	Abingdon	Abingdon	68	40 93	27 07	
"	"	Holy Innocents' Chapel				
"	Ware	Ware	73	63 30	9 70	
Gocehland	St. James' Northam.	St. Paul's				
"	"	All Saints	41	22 00	19 00	
"	"	Grace	18	9 00		
"	"	St. Mary's				

				Contingent Fund.			
"	"	Trinity	36	24 50	11 50		
"	"	Church of Our Saviour					
"	St. Paul's	Emmanuel	30	21 00	9 00		
"	"	St. Paul's		23 00			
"	Ashland	St. James'					
Henrico	Henrico	St. John's	482	215 40	266 60		
"	"	Weddell Memorial Chapel					
"	"	Chapel of Good Shepherd (colored)					
"	"	Monumental	497	223 75			
"	"	St. Paul's		497 00			
"	"	St. Andrew's		74 45			
"	"	St. James'	412	412 00			
"	"	Christ		40 32			
"	"	Grace	295	295 00			
"	"	St. Mark's		67 50			
"	"	Church of the Holy Trinity	320	320 00			
"	"	All Saints'	312	312 00			
"	"	Emmanuel	117	117 00			
"	"	St. Phillip's (colored)					
"	"	St. Luke's					
"	"	Epiphany, Barton Heights		20 00			
King George	St. Paul's	St. Paul's		41 00			
"	Hanover	St. John's		24 50			
"	"	Emmanuel		15 00			
"	"	Lamb's Creek					
King & Queen	Brunswick	Immanuel Chapel					
King William	St. Stephen's	St. David's	25	5 00			
"	St. David's	St. John's		25 00			
"	St. John's	Christ		20 00			
Lancaster	Christ Church	White Chapel					
"	"	Grace	110	54 50	55 50		
"	"	Trinity					
Loudoun	Shelbourne	St. Paul's	57	45 00	12 00		
"	"	Mount Calvary	22	5 00	17 00		

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1896.

		Treasurer's Account.			
COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount Paid.	Delinquency this year.
Loudoun	Shelbourne	Christ	19	\$18 00	\$1 00
"	"	St. James			
"	"	Belmont Chapel		165 00	
"	"	Church of Our Saviour			
"	John's	Emmanuel	24	24 00	
Louisa	"	Church of the Redeemer.	34	34 00	
"	Green Spring	St. John's and Chapel	24	11 50	12 50
Madison	Trinity	St. James	37	25 00	12 00
Mathews	Bromfield	Piedmont.	10	10 00	
"	Kingston's.	Christ		37 00	
"	"	Trinity		10 00	
Middlesex	Christ Church	Christ		28 00	
New Kent	St. Peter's	St. Peter's	10	11 00	
Northumberland	Wicomico	Wicomico	17	12 00	5 00
"	St. Stephen's	St. Stephen's			
Orange	St. Thomas	St. Thomas	111	111 00	
"	"	Christ	63	44 00	19 00
"	"	St. Paul's Chapel (colored)			
"	"	Barbour Memorial	17	13 50	3 50
Page	Luray	Christ	25	12 00	13 00
"	"	Calvary	27	25 00	9 00
Prince William	Dettingen	St. James	81	31 00	60 00
		Trinity			
		Quantity			

Contingent Fund.					
Kappahannock	St. Paul's	27	21 00	6 00	
"	Trinity	43	32 00	11 00	
Richmond	St. John's		47 00		
"	Emmanuel		32 00		
Rockingham	Emmanuel	86	66 00	20 00	
"	Grace Memorial	26	15 00	11 00	
Shenandoah	St. Andrew's	96	40 00	56 00	
"	Emmanuel				
Spotsylvania	St. George's	258	258 00		
"	Trinity				
"	St. George's Chapel		82 05		
"	Christ				
Stafford	Aquia		19 00		
"	Clifton Chapel				
Warren	Calvary				
Westmoreland	St. Peter's		49 00		
"	Payne's Chapel				
"	Nominy				
"	Yeocomico	97	62 42	34 58	
"	Cople Chapel				
"	St. James		9 00		
"	St. Paul's Chapel				
			\$7,410 59		

R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE, *Treasurer.*

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PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

ALBEMARLE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Prof. James M. Garnett, Treasurer—P. O., Charlottesville.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 13, total 17. Confirmations: white 37. Communicants: formerly reported white 350, added white 63 (of which by transfer 31), total 413; removed 24, died 8, total 32; present number 381. Marriages: white 10. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13, scholars 86, total 99. Contributions, \$122.80. Number of scholars confirmed, 9. Members of the Brotherhood, 28. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 13. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 96.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,365 65
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,383 83
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$47.25 from mite boxes)	150 69
Education Society,	102 07
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	24 11
Disabled Clergy,	36 00
Brotherhood,	27 85
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	29 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	350 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	178 56
General—Foreign Missions,	160 25
Domestic Missions,	43 75
Other general objects,	241 92
Total,	\$6,093 68

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ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Rev. HUGH MARTIN, Minister in Charge.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Miss Julia Macon, Treasurer—P. O., Simeon.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 12, added white 12, total 24; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 21. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 56, total 64. Number of scholars confirmed, 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$25 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	62 47
Diocesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes),	.	6 82
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	3 00
Total,	.	<u>\$97 29</u>

EDGE HILL MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Rev. HUGH MARTIN, Minister in Charge.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Miss Eliza Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Shadwell.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 2, total 5. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 16, of which by transfer 3, total 40; present number 40. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 97, total 104. Number of catechisings, 3. Number of scholars confirmed, 14. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$92 94
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	24 00
General—Virginia Bible Society,	.	5 00
Other General Objects,	.	13 70
Total,	.	<u>\$138 64</u>

Parochial Reports.

BUCK MOUNTAIN CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HUGH MARTIN, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

J. W. Huff, Treasurer—P. O., Earliesville.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 3, total 9. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 28, added white 9, total 37; died 2; present number 35. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$80 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	12 00
Diocesan—Education Society,	.	3 56
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	16 50
General—Foreign Missions,	.	3 66
Total,	.	\$118 22

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, WITH ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

John Greaves, Treasurer—P. O., Ivy Depot.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 3, total 9. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 95, added white 14, total 109; removed 13, died 3, total 16; present number 93. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: white 5. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$253 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	118 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$9.25 from mite boxes)	.	23 55
Education Society,	.	3 66
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	4 35
Disabled Clergy,	.	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	35 40
General—Other general objects,	.	18 00
Total,	.	\$460 46

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EMMANUEL CHURCH, GREENWOOD PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

R. W. Kyle, Treasurer—P. O., Ivy Depot.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white added white 4, total 33; removed 2; present number 31. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$200 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	25 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	15 04
Education Society,	5 60
Widows' and Orphan's Fund,	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	29 00
General—Foreign Missions,	8 75
Total,	<u>\$285 39</u>

GRACE CHURCH, WALKER'S PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont.

W. E. Money, Treasurer—P. O., Cismont.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 9, total 14. Confirmations: white 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 108, colored 1, total 109; added white 12 (of which by transfer 2), aggregate 121; removed 8, suspended 1, total 9; present number 112. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 11, scholars 115, total 126; colored, teachers 2, scholars 45, total 47. Contributions, \$25.00. Number of catechisings, 15. Number of scholars confirmed, 7. Members of the Brotherhood, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 7. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 33.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$596 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	965 00

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$20.25 from mite boxes),	69 61
Education Society,	26 55
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 73
Disabled Clergy,	19 18
Brotherhood,	3 30
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	7 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	74 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	20 00
General—Foreign Missions,	134 37
Domestic Missions,	10 26
Virginia Bible Society,	23 00
Other General Objects,	6 95
Total,	\$1,959 45

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS E. LOCKE, Rector.

Post-office—Glendower.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 21, added white 1, total 22; removed 1, died 2, total 3; present number 19. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary	\$230 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes),	14 62
Disabled Clergy,	2 00
Brotherhood,	1 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	11 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	10 00
General—Foreign Missions,	13 04
Domestic Missions,	10 00
Total,	\$291 66

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS E. LOCKE, Rector.

Post-office—Glendower.

Thomas G. Griffin, Treasurer—P. O., Scottsville.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 1. Communi-

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s: formerly reported white 32, added white 3 (of which by trans-2), total 35; removed 1; present number 34. Funerals: white Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 15, total 19.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$130 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	73 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes),	14 00
Disabled Clergy,	2 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	57 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	22 50
General—Foreign Missions,	3 50
Total,	\$302 50

ALEXANDRIA COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. BERRYMAN GREEN, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

G. William Ramsay, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 11, total 12. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 254, added white 21 (of which by transfer 7), total 275; removed 3, died total 7; present number 268. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 18, colored 2, total 20. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 20, scholars 226, total 246. Contributions, \$205. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 12. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 19. Members of Woman's Auxiliary,

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,402 45
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,133 75
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	190 00
Education Society,	142 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	30 00
Disabled Clergy,	50 00
Brotherhood,	19 80
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	35 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	254 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	31 00

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General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	246 00
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	240 00
Other general objects,	.	.	.	895 25
Total,	.	.	.	<u>\$6,669 25</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. P. P. PHILLIPS, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

J. R. Zimmerman, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 14, total 16. Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: formerly reported white 269, added white 20 (of which by transfer 5), total 289; removed 7, suspended 1, died 6, total 14; present number 275. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 17, colored 1, total 18. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 26, scholars, 245, total 271. Number of catechisings, 40. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 17. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$3,131 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	1,110 93
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$75 from mite boxes),	.	.	336 85
Education Society,	.	.	114 50
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	20 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	.	105 80
Brotherhood,	.	.	17 10
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.	15 85
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	269 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	92 98
Domestic Missions,	.	.	101 73
Other general objects,	.	.	<u>949 63</u>
Total,	.	.	<u>\$6,265 37</u>

GRACE CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. CLARENCE ERNEST BALL, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

Daniel E. Webster, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 18, total 19. Confirma-

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s: white 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 139, added white 17 (of which by transfer 7), total 156; removed 6, died total 10; present number 146. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 25, scholars 208, total Contributions, \$61.70. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 17. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,254 98
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,244 31
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6.53 from mite boxes),	21 28
Disabled Clergy,	4 39
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	71 73
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	66 70
General—Other general objects,	234 14
Total,	\$3,897 53

CAROLINE COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

W. T. Pratt, Treasurer—P. O., Port Royal.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 52, added white 3 (of which by transfer 1), total 55; removed 1, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 3; present number 52. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 15, total 19.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$197 23
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	65 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	30 00
Education Society,	2 79
Disabled Clergy,	3 41
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	2 66
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	37 25
General—Foreign Missions,	3 00
Total,	\$341 34

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GRACE CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

Dr. C. B. Morton, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 35, added white 7, total 42; present number 42.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$197 68
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	20 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	8 82
Education Society,	.	3 50
Disabled Clergy,	.	1 06
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	1 75
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	22 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	1 09
Total,	.	<u>\$255 90</u>

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH, DRYSDALE PARISH.

Rev. W. B. WILLIAMS, Minister in Charge.

Post-office—Richmond.

James Hunter, Treasurer—P. O., Ruther Glen.

Baptisms: infants white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 15; present number 15. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5; scholars 25, total 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$80 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.65 from mite boxes),	.	6 82
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	10 00
Total,	.	<u>\$96 82</u>

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STOVER, GRACE, AND MAPSICO CHURCHES, WESTOVER PARISH.

Rev. JOHN C. CORNICK, Rector.

Post-office—Westover.

John A. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Westover.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 61, added white 4, total 65; removed 9; present number 56. Funerals: white 4. Members of the Brotherhood, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$662 51
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	74 86
Missionary Society,	44 57
Education Society,	10 25
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	9 50
Disabled Clergy,	11 40
Brotherhood,	6 60
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	19 05
Contingent Fund, paid last year	53 00
General—Foreign Missions,	82 25
Domestic Missions,	4 44
Other General Objects,	4 00
Total,	<u>\$982 43</u>

CLARKE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, CUNNINGHAM CHAPEL.

Rev. J. COURTNEY JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Millwood.

T. M. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Millwood.

Baptisms: adults colored 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 183, colored 1, total 184; added white 2, aggregate 192; removed 23, died 1, total 24; present number 168. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, 15, scholars 127, total 142; colored, teachers 6, scholars 70, total 76. Number of catechisings, 6. Members of Brotherhood of Andrew, 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 35.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$507 48
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	1,142 84
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$33 from mite boxes), . . .	41 72
Education Society, . . .	26 37
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	80 75
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	80 78
Other general objects, . . .	4 86
Total, . . .	<u>\$1,884 80</u>

GRACE CHURCH, CLARKE PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD WALL, Rector.

Post-office—Berryville.

R. R. Smith, Treasurer—P. O., Berryville.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 193, added white 19, total 212; removed 7, withdrawn 1, died 2, total 10; present number 202. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 89, total 99. Contributions, \$63.60. Number of scholars confirmed, 4. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,295 47
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	737 52
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$48.83 from mite boxes) . . .	77 35
Education Society, . . .	17 96
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	18 05
Disabled Clergy, . . .	34 75
Brotherhood, . . .	8 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	73 74
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	150 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	45 75
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	32 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	8 75
Other general objects, . . .	5 87
Total, . . .	<u>\$2,505 21</u>

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WICKLIFFE CHURCH, WICKLIFFE PARISH.

Rev. P. D. THOMPSON, Rector.

Post-office—Wickliffe.

E. J. Smith, Treasurer—P. O., Wickliffe.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 47; died 1; present number 46. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 25, total 31; colored, teachers 6, total 8. Contributions, \$4: Members of the Brotherhood, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$450 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	100 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	18 09
Education Society,	20 00
Brotherhood,	5 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	20 00
Domestic Missions,	5 00
Total,	<u>\$653 59</u>

MEADE MEMORIAL CHURCH, GREENWAY COURT PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-office—Front Royal.

David Meade, Treasurer—P. O., White Post.

Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 33, added white 5, total 38. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions, \$8. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$115 47
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	50 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	15 44
Education Society,	2 98
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	18 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 75
Total,	<u>\$207 64</u>

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CULPEPER COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, ST. MARK'S PARISH.

Rev. E. L. GOODWIN, Rector.

Post-office—Culpeper.

R. C. Vass, Treasurer—P. O., Culpeper.

Baptisms: adults white 13, infants white 5, total 18. Confirmations: white 22. Communicants: formerly reported white 102, colored 1, total 103; added white 34 (of which by transfer 5), aggregate 137; withdrawn 2, died 2, total 4; present number 133. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 11, scholars 50, total 61. Contributions, \$39.50. Number of catechisms, 52. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 8. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 37.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$930 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	745 55
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$27.00 from mite boxes)	40 33
Education Society,	23 90
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	7 40
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	7 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	102 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	21 10
General—Foreign Missions,	65 90
Domestic Missions,	25 15
Other general objects,	46 50
Total,	<u>\$2,019 83</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, RIDLEY PARISH.

REV. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

C. W. Spindle, Treasurer—P. O., Brandy Station.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 4, total 6. Confirmations: white 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 55, added white

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11, total 66; removed 4, withdrawn 1, total 5; present number 61. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions, \$15.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$275 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	85 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10.00 from mite boxes)	34 16
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 81
Disabled Clergy,	3 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	43 00
General—Foreign Missions,	9 00
Domestic Missions,	10 10
Total,	<u>\$464 47</u>

ST. PAUL'S AND CALVARY CHURCHES, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

J. J. Roberts, Treasurer—P. O., Raccoon Ford.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 53, added white 4 (of which by transfer 1), total 57; died 1; present number 56. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$339 36
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	80 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15 from mite boxes),	43 60
Education Society,	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Brotherhood,	2 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	48 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	11 89
General—Foreign Missions,	4 00
Domestic Missions,	10 25
Total,	<u>\$559 20</u>

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EMMANUEL CHURCH, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. PARNELL LEB. CROSS, Rector.

Post-office—Rapidan.

Dr. C. C. Conway, Treasurer—P. O., Rapidan.

Baptisms: colored 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 51, colored 1, total 52. Marriages: white 1, colored 3, total 4. Funerals: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Members of the Brotherhood, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$555 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	316 80
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	6 25
Education Society,	22 56
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 00
Disabled Clergy,	10 99
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	7 72
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	51 00
General—Other general objects,	14 20
Total,	<u>\$989 02</u>

ALL SAINTS' MEMORIAL CHAPEL, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. P. LEB. CROSS, Rector.

Post-office—Rapidan.

T. T. Slaughter, Treasurer—P. O., Mitchell's.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 3 (of which by transfer 1), total 28; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 25. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$6.70. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	115 00

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Resan—Missionary Society (\$5.00 from mite boxes)	8 75
Disabled Clergy,	2 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	3 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	16 00
eral—Foreign Missions,	8 50
Other general objects,	3 70
Total,	<u>\$257 20</u>

 ESSEX COUNTY.

VETER'S AND ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCHES, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. D. C. T. DAVIS, Rector.

Post-office—Loretto.

J. H. C. Beverley, Treasurer—P. O., Loretto.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 7. Communi-
 s: formerly reported white 49, colored 1, total 50; added white
 aggregate 57; died 2; present number 55. Funerals: white 2.
 Day-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$360 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	75 00
Resan—Missionary Society (\$14.16 from mite boxes)	22 40
Education Society,	10 16
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	28 00
eral—Foreign Missions,	11 00
Other general objects,	16 00
Total,	<u>\$534 06</u>

JOHN'S AND ST. PAUL'S CHURCHES, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Dr. J. H. Latané, Treasurer—P. O., Mount Landing.

Baptisms; adults white 3, infants white 1, total 4. Confirmations:
 e 4.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$350 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	101 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	48 36
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	40 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	163 90
General—Domestic Missions,	.	15 00
Total,	.	<u>\$678 26</u>

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. J. HERVEY HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague.

C. B. Hundley, Treasurer—P. O., Montague.

Communicants: formerly reported white 29; removed 3; present number 26. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: white 7. Members of the Brotherhood, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$105 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	15 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	25 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	2 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	21 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	2 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	10 00
Domestic Missions,	.	5 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	1 00
Other general objects,	.	4 00
Total,	.	<u>\$194 50</u>

FAIRFAX COUNTY.

ZION CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS D. LEWIS, Rector.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

O. W. Hunt, Treasurer—P. O., Fairfax C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 72, added white 3 (of

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h by transfer 3), total 75; died 1; present number 74. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 25, total 28. Contributions, \$12.91. Number of baptisms, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$423 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	281 13
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$8.02 from mite boxes)	14 87
Education Society,	7 10
Disabled Clergy,	7 40
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	48 00
Diocesan—Foreign Missions,	4 00
Domestic Missions,	7 00
Other general objects,	20 00
Total,	<u>\$817 50</u>

CHAPEL OF GOOD SHEPHERD, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS D. LEWIS, Rector.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

Upton Herbert, Treasurer—P. O., Burke's Station.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 1, total 5. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 18; present number 18. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 42, total 47. Contributions, \$3.00.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Other objects, including incidental expenses	\$24 51
Diocesan—Contingent Fund, paid last year,	6 00
Total,	<u>\$30 51</u>

POHICK CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KLOMAN, Rector.

Post-Office—Springman.

Dr. N. B. Nebitt, Treasurer—P. O., Accotink.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 18; added white 3 (of which by transfer 2), total 75; present number 75.

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ber 75. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 125, total 133. Contributions, \$26.33. Number of catechisings, 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 29.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	298 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$25.78 from mite boxes)	29 79
Education Society, . . .	8 35
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	1 34
Disabled Clergy, . . .	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	36 25
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	4 07
Other general objects, . . .	13 27
Total, . . .	<u>\$692 57</u>

OLIVET CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KILOMAN, Rector.

Post-Office—Springman.

R. W. Gaillard, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Communicants: formerly reported white 20; removed 2; present number 18. Funerals: colored 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers=3, scholars 35, total 38.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	45 00
Diocesan—Education Society, . . .	1 72
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	10 50
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	1 50
Total, . . .	<u>\$158 72</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, CENTREVILLE, CHRIST CHURCH, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. J. J. CLOPTON, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

George F. Harrison, Treasurer—P. O., Chantilly.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 3. Communi-

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s: formerly reported white 28, added white 7 (of which by transfer), total 35; removed 2, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 4; present number 31. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers scholars, 31, total 34. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$87 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	72 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$1.36 from mite boxes)	4 95
Education Society,	1 50
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 40
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	6 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	26 00
General—Foreign Missions,	3 34
Other general objects,	1 79
Total,	<hr/> \$185 23

ST. TIMOTHY'S CHURCH, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN J. CLOPTON, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

Thomas P. Thornton, Treasurer—P. O., Wiehle.

Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white added white 8 (of which by transfer 4), total 64; removed 6, suspended 1, total 7; present number 57. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 37, total 43. Contributions, \$72. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$276 09
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	394 65
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$18.39 from mite boxes)	21 00
Education Society,	1 65
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 80
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	3 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	45 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	4 19
General—Foreign Missions,	3 84
Domestic Missions,	3 84
Other general objects,	5 50
Total,	<hr/> \$759 31

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THE FALL'S CHURCH AND VIENNA MISSION, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. JOHN MCGILL, Rector.

Post-office—East End.

Geo. E. King and Wm. E. Parker, Treasurers—P. O., Vienna and West End.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: 62. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 58, total 66. Contributions: \$30. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 8. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$734 09
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	30 90
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	55 98
Education Society,	14 35
Disabled Clergy,	3 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	39 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	180 33
General—Foreign Missions,	11 50
Total,	\$1,069 75

FAUQUIER COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HAMILTON PARISH.

Rev. GEORGE W. NELSON, Rector.

Post-office—Warrenton.

Rev. R. W. Hilliary, Treasurer—P. O., Warrenton.

Baptisms: adults white 4; infants white 5, colored 1, total 6; aggregate 10. Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: formerly reported white 146, colored 2, total 148; added white 15 (of which by transfer 5), total 163; removed 11, withdrawn 2, died 7, total 20; present number 143. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 13. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 40, total 47. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 50.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$1,522 42
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	100 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$30.40 from mite boxes)	49 31
Education Society,	40 00
Disabled Clergy,	23 97
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	146 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	23 00
Domestic Missions,	8 96
Other general objects,	173 41
Total,	<u>\$2,112 07</u>

 LEED'S CHURCH, BETHEL AND SOUTH RUN MISSIONS, LEED'S PARISH.

Rev. CHARLES H. LEE, JR., Rector.

Post-office—Hume.

Henry C. Stribling, Treasurer—P. O., Hume.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 4. Communion: formerly reported white 81, added white 5 (of which by transference), total 86; died 1; present number 85. Marriages: white 2, colored 2, total 4. Funeral: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, colored 13, scholars 125, total 138. Members of Brotherhood of Andrew, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$680 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	63 36
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$24.58 from mite boxes)	32 00
Education Society,	7 75
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 38
Disabled Clergy,	10 50
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	9 62
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	59 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	16 62
Domestic Missions,	6 64
Virginia Bible Society,	4 37
Other general objects,	16 83
Total,	<u>\$913 56</u>

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CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

William Beverley, Treasurer—P. O., Broad Run.

Baptisms: adults white 3. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 6: present number 31. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 43, total 48. Contributions, \$5.40. Number of catechisings, 4. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$192 40
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	11 75
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2 from mite boxes),	.	8 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	19 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	10 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	3 00
Total,	.	\$246 15

GRACE AND TRINITY CHURCHES, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

J. R. Foster, Treasurer—P. O., The Plains.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 102, added white 16 (of which by transfer 4), total 118; removed 7, died 3, total 10: present number 108. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 15, scholars 86, total 101. Contributions, \$13.75. Number of catechisings, 9. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$641 30
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	234 98

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$22.70 from mite boxes)	74 04
Education Society,	15 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	15 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	102 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	42 46
General—Foreign Missions,	63 75
Virginia Bible Society,	8 50
Other general objects,	94 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,296 03

TRINITY CHURCH, MEADE PARISH.

Rev. ROBERT K. MASSIE, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

W. J. Mann, Treasurer—P. O., Upperville.

Baptisms: infants white 10. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 50, added white 18 (of which by transfer 1), total 68; removed 6, died 2, total 8; present number 60. Clergymen: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 30, total 36. Number of scholars confirmed, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$635 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	50 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6 from mite boxes),	16 00
Education Society,	8 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	50 00
General—Foreign Missions,	18 80
Total,	<hr/> \$777 80

GRACE CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

G. O. MEAD, Deacon in Charge.

Post-office—Casanova.

W. B. Tompkins, Treasurer—P. O., Casanova.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 1. Communi-

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cants: formerly reported white 51, added white 14, total 65; removed 4; present number 61. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 34, total 39. Contributions, \$3.55. Number of catechisings, 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$128 71
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	89 21
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10.80 from mite boxes)	37 81
Education Society,	1 67
Widows' and Orphan's Fund,	1 00
Disabled Clergy,	50
General—Foreign Missions,	5 70
Total,	<u>\$264 60</u>

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

G. O. MEAD, Deacon in Charge.

Post-office—Casanova.

C. B. Cilton, Treasurer—P. O., Lakota.

Communicants: formerly reported white 42; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 39. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34. Contributions, \$3.25. Number of catechisings, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$80 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	75 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.46 from mite boxes)	6 70
Education Society,	1 67
General—Foreign Missions,	4 04
Total,	<u>\$167 41</u>

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, CEDAR RUN PARISH.

G. O. MEAD, Deacon in Charge.

Post-office—Casanova.

Howson Hooe, Treasurer—P. O., Catlett's.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 2, total 20; died 1; present number 19. Funerals: white 1.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary	.	\$66 38
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	70 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.51 from mite boxes)		25 84
Education Society,	.	1 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	9 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	3 64
Total,	.	<u>\$175 96</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, PIEDMONT PARISH.

Rev. CHAS. H. LEE, Jr., Rector.

Post-office—Hume.

Henry C. Pfeifer, Treasurer—P. O., Delaplane.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 13, added white 4, total 17; removed 1; present number 16. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 2, scholars 20, total 22.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$150 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	22 95
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$12.57 from mite boxes)		24 78
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 13
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	2 39
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	10 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	2 02
Domestic Missions,	.	2 89
Other General Objects,	.	5 80
Total,	.	<u>\$222 96</u>

FLUVANNA COUNTY.

GRACE CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

(Vacant.)

John H. Cocke, Treasurer—P. O., Bremo Bluff.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 21, added white 1, total 22; removed 2; present number 20.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$41 67
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	4 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	4 12
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	9 00
General—Domestic Missions,	.	5 00
Total,	.	<u>\$64 37</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

(Vacant.)

John J. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Columbia.

Geo. P. Hodgson, Lay Reader.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 56, colored 1, total 57; died 2; present number 55. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 55, total 61. Contributions, \$10.37. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$181 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	84 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$7.84 from mite boxes)	.	16 13
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	21 00
Total,	.	<u>\$302 63</u>

FREDERICK COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICK PARISH.

Rev. NELSON P. DAME, Rector.

Post-office—Winchester.

Albert Baker, Treasurer—P. O., Winchester.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 12, total 14. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 218.

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red 2, added white 16 (of which by transfer 2), total 236; received 11, withdrawn 9, suspended 4, died 6, total 30; present number 206. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: 10, teachers 20, scholars 140, total 160. Contributions, \$87. Number of scholars confirmed, 10. Members of the Brotherhood, 10. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9. Members of man's Auxiliary, 50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,301 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	1,035 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$37 from mite boxes),	77 00
Education Society,	58 76
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	56 55
Disabled Clergy,	31 00
Brotherhood,	35 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	55 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	220 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	122 29
General—Foreign Missions,	274 70
Domestic Missions,	40 00
Other general objects,	27 35
Total,	\$5,012 93

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-office—Front Royal.

C. A. Cuttings, Treasurer—P. O., Middletown.

Communicants: formerly reported white 25; withdrawn 9, died 1, 10; present number 15. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
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GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

ABINGDON CHURCH AND HOLY INNOCENTS' CHAPEL, ABINGDON PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester C. H.

Joshua G. Bray, Treasurer—P. O., Hay's Store.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 67, added white 5, total 72; removed 2, withdrawn 2, died 1, total 5; present number 67. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 21.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$349 84
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	78 80
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$9.82 from mite boxes)	34 43
Education Society,	9 67
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 30
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	28 00
General—Foreign Missions,	4 00
Domestic Missions,	4 00
Other general objects,	2 05
Total,	<u>\$513 09</u>

WARE CHURCH, WARE PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester C. H.

Charles E. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Gloucester C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 68, added white 9 (of which by transfer 4), total 77; removed 2, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 4; present number 73. Marriages: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 38, total 43. Contributions, \$10. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 39.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$348 68
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	291 52
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$14.55 from mite boxes)	34 47
Education Society,	11 57
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 33
Disabled Clergy,	4 00
Brotherhood,	1 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	38 00
General—Foreign Missions,	6 00
Domestic Missions,	6 00
Other general objects,	2 00
Total,	<u>\$745 67</u>

GOOCHLAND COUNTY.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. P. R. NUGENT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John Wickham, Treasurer—P. O., Lorraine.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 2, total 21; removed died 1, total 3; present number 18. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 33, total 37. Contributions, .55. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$160 84
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	14 34
Diocesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes), .	4 75
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	13 00
Total,	<u>\$192 93</u>

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GRACE CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

Moses T. Monteiro, Treasurer—P. O., Irwin.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 4, total 6. Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: formerly reported white 34, added white 15, total 49; removed 1, died 2, total 3; present number 46. Marriages: 1. Funerals: 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$325 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	148 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	2 50
Education Society,	.	4 52
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	2 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	22 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	3 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	1 50
Other general objects,	.	12 00
Total,	.	<u>\$525 52</u>

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

James D. Brown, Treasurer—P. O., Sabot Island.

Communicants: formerly reported white 12; removed 2; present number 10. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$50 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	12 00
Diocesan—Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	9 00
Total,	.	<u>\$71 00</u>

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GREENE COUNTY.

Rev. E. W. COWLING, Missionary.

Report of work done beginning August 1st, 1895:

Number of services held, 14. Average attendance, about 50.
 Number of communicants, 1.

HANOVER COUNTY.

FORK CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. Hepburn, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 2, added white 1, total 33; present number 33. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 5, total 56. Contributions, \$30.85. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 22.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$125 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	181 30
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$19.29 from mite boxes)	42 30
Education Society,	2 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	7 08
Disabled Clergy,	3 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	9 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	22 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	3 30
General—Foreign Missions,	22 64
Domestic Missions,	11 65
Total,	<hr/> \$429 27

TRINITY CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communi-

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cants: formerly reported white 16, added white 1, total 17; present number 17. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions, \$1.15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$25 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	6 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6.06 from mite boxes)	11 06
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	6 00
Total,	\$48 06

ST. MARTIN'S CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Miss Norma Doswell, Treasurer—P. O., Bothwell.

Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 2, total 21; present number 21. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 37, total 40. Contributions, \$7.59.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$50 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	9 14
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5.00 from mite boxes)	10 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	12 00
Total,	\$81 14

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Miss Rosa Thompson, Treasurer—P. O., Montpelier.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 22, added white 4, total 26; present number 26. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 50, total 54. Contributions, \$3.48.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$50 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	6 00
Parochial—Missionary Society (\$3.48 from mite boxes)	8 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	8 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$72 00</u>

IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

J. M. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Old Church.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 27, added white 9 (of which by transfer 4), total 36; present number 36. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 40, total 45. Contributions, 50. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$200 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	18 50
Parochial—Missionary Society (\$12.50 from mite boxes)	17 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	20 00
Parochial—Domestic Missions, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$260 50</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

T. E. Williams, Treasurer—P. O., Peaks.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 2, total 5. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 5, total 31; removed 1; present number 30. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 43, total 48. Contributions, \$21.94. Number of scholars confirmed, 4. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$318 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	254 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5.94 from mite boxes)	9 29
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	20 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	15 00
General—Foreign Missions, .	4 00
Total,	<u>\$621 79</u>

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, ASHLAND PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Post-office—Ashland.

William M. Jones, Treasurer—P. O., Ashland.

Communicants: present number 45. Sunday-schools: white-
teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$607 7 11
Diocesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes), .	32 00 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	40 00 00
Total,	<u>\$679 7</u>

HENRICO COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, INCLUDING WEDDELL MEMORIAL CHAPEL—
AND CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. GOODWIN, Rector.

Rev. J. H. BIRCKHEAD, Assistant Minister.

Post-office—Richmond.

John F. Mayer, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 17, infants white 26, total 43. Confirmations—

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white 39. Communicants: formerly reported white 475, colored total 476; added white 55 (of which by transfer 7), aggregate removed 38, withdrawn 2, suspended 1, died 7, total 48; present number 483. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: white 34. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 63, scholars 476, total 539; colored, teachers 14, scholars 150, total 164. Contributions, \$332.13. Num- catechisings, about 100. Number of scholars confirmed, 11. Members of the Brotherhood, 18. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 20. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 105.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parish—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,524 68
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,278 03
Parish—Missionary Society (\$76.24 from mite boxes)	127 60
Education Society,	17 27
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	16 44
Disabled Clergy,	27 19
Brotherhood,	18 70
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	27 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	474 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	36 80
Parish—Foreign Missions,	238 97
Domestic Missions,	94 17
Virginia Bible Society,	5 65
Other general objects,	8 50
Total,	\$5,895 00

MONUMENTAL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. FENNER S. STICKNEY, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John M. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Parish: adults white 7, infants white 26, total 33. Confirmations: white 25. Communicants: formerly reported white 324, added 54 (of which by transfer 39), total 388; removed 5, died 5, present number 378. Marriages: white 8. Funerals: white 10. Sunday-schools: white teachers 22, scholars 170, total 192. Contributions, \$155.87. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 10. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 64.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$2,987 72
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	925 99
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$69.14 from mite boxes)	221 85
Education Society, . . .	17 63
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	15 85
Disabled Clergy, . . .	15 84
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	41 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	208 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	10 50
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	30 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	188 12
Total, . . .	<u>\$7,012 00</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. HARTLEY CARMICHAEL, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

B. Rand. Wellford, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 21, total 24. Confirmations: white 31. Communicants: formerly reported white 474, added white 49 (of which by transfer 18), total 523; removed 10, withdrawn 6, died 9, total 25; present number 498. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 13. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 43, scholars 387, total 430. Contributions, \$506.20. Number of scholars confirmed, 17. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 14. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 53.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$8,875 55
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	10,388 65
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$276 from mite boxes), . . .	639 79
Education Society, . . .	82 15
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	91 70
Disabled Clergy, . . .	115 88
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	474 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	276 49
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	287 28
Domestic Missions, . . .	42 60
Other general objects, . . .	60 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$21,334 09</u>

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

(Vacant.)

James R. Gordon, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

aptisms: adults white 2, infants white 23, total 25. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 427, red 1, total 428; added white 18 (of which by transfer 4), aggregate 446; removed 24, died 9, total 33; present number 413. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 16. Sunday-schools: white, 33, scholars 172, total 205. Contributions, \$382.45. Members of the Brotherhood, 19. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 43. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 100.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$5.040 47
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,753 68
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$162 from mite boxes),	566 86
Education Society,	47 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	74 46
Disabled Clergy,	83 09
Brotherhood,	51 90
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	207 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year	428 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	108 60
General—Foreign Missions,	282 31
Domestic Missions,	182 50
Virginia Bible Society,	15 00
Other General Objects,	42 00
Total,	<u>\$9.883 37</u>

GRACE CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. LANDON R. MASON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John R. Wheat, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

aptisms: adults white 5, infants white 16, total 21. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 295, added 23 (of which by transfer 10), total 318; removed 11, died 9.

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total 20; present number 298. Marriages: white 9. Funerals: white 22. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 20, scholars 130, total 150. Contributions, \$303.60. Number of catechisings, 8. Number of scholars confirmed, 10. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 10. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$3,615 05
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	3,814 74
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$121.06 from mite boxes),	14 87
Education Society,	126 31
Disabled Clergy,	25 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	42 13
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	40 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	295 00
General—Foreign Missions,	406 60
Domestic Missions,	166 64
Virginia Bible Society,	109 96
Other general objects,	9 62
	24 91
Total,	\$8,675 96

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. GEO. C. ABBITT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Frank D. Beveridge, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 7, total 10. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported 276, added white 22 (of which by transfer 4), total 298; removed 8, withdrawn 6, died 4, total 18; present number 280. Marriages: white 8. Funerals: white 13. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 14, scholars 138, total 152. Contributions, \$122.77. Number of catechisings, 52. Number of scholars confirmed, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,956 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	740 88

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$44 from mite boxes),	48 67
Education Society, . . .	11 05
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	5 47
Disabled Clergy, . . .	14 25
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	4 51
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	68 50
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	78 35
Domestic Missions, . . .	3 66
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	8 70
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$2,940 04

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. J. GRAVATT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

James M. Ball, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 12, total 18. Confirmations: white 33. Communicants: formerly reported white 231, added white 103 (of which by transfer 70), total 334; removed 9, total 14; present number 320. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 15. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 28, scholars 223, total 251. Contributions, \$273.48. Number of catechisings, 1. Number of scholars confirmed, 11. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 14. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 42.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$4,784 75
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	3,642 84
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$65 from mite boxes), . . .	84 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	43 39
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	231 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	298 93
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	48 50
Domestic Missions, . . .	125 00
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$9,258 41

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. PIKE POWERS, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

George A. Barksdale, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 9, total 10. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 175, added white 16 (of which by transfer 4), total 191; removed 1, withdrawn 1, suspended 2, died 1, total 5; present number 186. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 21, scholars 234, total 255. Contributions, \$129.33. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 8. Parochial school: number of teachers 20, scholars 200. Members of the Brotherhood, 7. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 7. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 57

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,230 06
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	45 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$98.93 from mite boxes)	118 93
Education Society,	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	10 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	94 64
General—Foreign Missions,	59 54
Total,	<u>\$1,573 67</u>

ALL SAINT'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. Y. DOWNMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John R. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 11, total 13. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 300, added white 29 (of which by transfer 17), total 329; removed 11, died 6, total 17; present number 312. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 12, scholars 100, total 112. Contributions, \$137.26. Number of catechisings, 9. Number of scholars confirmed, 7. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 10.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$4,453	94
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	4,507	12
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	157	02
Education Society,	.	34	28
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	47	82
Disabled Clergy,	.	47	81
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	244	50
Contingent Fund,	.	312	00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	235	00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	75	00
Domestic Missions,	.	32	16
Virginia Bible Society,	.	5	00
Other general objects,	.	1,100	00
Total,	.	\$11,251	65

EMMANUEL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. B. M. RANDOLPH, Rector.

Rev. W. W. BRANDER, Assistant Minister.

Post-office—Brook Hill.

Joseph Bryan, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Confirmations: white 2. Communion: formerly reported white 139, added white 13 (of which by transfer 11), total 152; removed 30, withdrawn 1, died 4, total 35; present number 117. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 7. Day-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 74, total 81; colored, teachers 2, scholars 70, total 72. Contributions, \$55. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 14. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$1,960	19
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	404	85
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$55 from mite boxes),	.	1,006	08
Education Society,	.	109	45
Disabled Clergy,	.	380	38
Brotherhood,	.	15	40
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	137	50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	185	00

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General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	250 00
Domestic Missions,	.	.	228 88
Other general objects,	.	.	57 00
Total,	.	.	\$4,734 73

ETIPHANY CHAPEL MISSIONARY OF EMMANUEL CHURCH, HENRICO COUNTY.

Rev. B. M. RANDOLPH, Rector.

Post-office—Brook Hill.

Thos. C. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: transferred from Emmanuel Register 20, confirmed 5, add residents not connected with other congregations 33, total 58; present number 58. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 9, scholars 56, total 65. Contributions, \$45.60. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 10. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses,	.	.	\$118 20
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	663 75
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	.	30 00
Education Society,	.	.	20 87
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions,	.	.	89 00
Total,	.	.	\$921 82

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN WESLEY JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

M. R. Wallace, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults colored 4, infants colored 6, total 10. Confirmations: colored 6. Communicants: formerly reported colored 71, added colored 8 (of which by transfer 2), total 79; removed 1, died 4, total 5; present number 74. Marriages: colored 4. Funerals: colored 8. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 6, scholars 46, total 52. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 1; scholars 25.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$205 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	175 00
eral—Foreign Missions, .	7 00
Total, .	<u>\$387 00</u>

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

temporarily supplied by the rectors of Grace, St. James', Monumental, and All Saints' Churches, and Rev. P. R. NEUGENT, City Missionary.

Post-office—Richmond.

Richard H. Meade, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 9, total 12. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: present number white 10. Sunday-schools: white, scholars (morning) 55, (evening) 161, total 216. Contributions (morning school), \$34.78, (evening school) \$32.83, total \$67.61.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—For church debt, .	\$129 03
cesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes), .	11 00
eral—Virginia Bible Society, .	1 08
Total, .	<u>\$141 11</u>

KING GEORGE COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George Courthouse.

Washington Tennant, Treasurer—P. O., Mathias' Point.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 63, colored 1, total 64; added white 1 (which by transfer 2), aggregate 72; removed 2; present number 70. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 16, total 20. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$165 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	47 09
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	37 11
Widows' and Orphan's Fund, . . .	1 90
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	3 22
Other general objects, . . .	2 01
Total,	<u>\$256 33</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, HANOVER PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George Courthouse.

T. T. Arnold, Treasurer—P. O., King George Courthouse.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 72, added white 6 (of which by transfer 1), total 78; removed 6, died 1, total 7; present number 71. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 27, total 34. Number of scholars confirmed, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$328 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	65 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	46 76
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 07
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 38
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	42 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	3 44
Other general objects, . . .	41 85
Total,	<u>\$533 50</u>

KING AND QUEEN.

IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

S. F. Harwood, Treasurer—P. O., King and Queen C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 5, colored 1, total 6; removed 1; present number 5.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$60 00
cesan—Missionary Society,	.	.	6 75
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	5 00
eral—Foreign Missions,	.	.	4 00
Total,	.	.	<u>\$75 75</u>

KING WILLIAM COUNTY.

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, ST. DAVID'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Evelyn C. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Aylett's.

Communicants: formerly reported white 28; removed 2, died 1, 13; present number 25. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 39, total 46.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$45 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	29 64
cesan—Missionary Society,	.	13 43
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	28 00
Total,	.	<u>\$116 07</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST POINT PARISH.

(Vacant.)

W. K. Gatewood, Treasurer—P. O., West Point.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants, formerly reported 43; removed 11, died 1, total 12, present number 31. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 34, total 40. Contributions, \$27.17. Number of churchings, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

ochial—Other objects, including incidental expenses,	\$36 00
cesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes),	8 26

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Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	33 00
General—Other general objects,	.	.	45 00
Total,	.	.	<u>\$71 00</u>

LANCASTER COUNTY.

WHITE CHAPEL, GRACE AND TRINITY CHURCHES, CHRIST CHURCH
PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

Harvey S. Gresham, Treasurer—P. O., Lancaster C. H.

Baptisms: infants white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 109, added white 1, total 110; died 2; present number, 108. Marriages: white 2, colored 6, total 8. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 75, total 83. Contributions, \$33.42.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$548 35
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	425 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$20 from mite boxes),	.	.	68 27
Education Society,	.	.	9 07
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	40 25
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	7 00
Domestic Missions,	.	.	1 25
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	75
Total,	.	.	<u>\$1,101 44</u>

LOUDOUN COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH AND CHAPEL OF OUR SAVIOUR, SHELBURNE
PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Leesburg.

H. O. Clagett, Treasurer—P. O., Leesburg.

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aptisms: adults white 1, infants white 13, total 14. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 214, colored 3, total 217; added white 38 (of which by transfer 8), aggregate removed 7, died 2, total 9; present number 246. Marriages: 4. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 15, scholars 116, total 131; colored, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$117.44. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 23. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,538 10
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	6,635 50
Episcopal—Missionary Society,	75 44
Education Society,	70 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	28 83
Disabled Clergy,	22 17
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	160 00
General—Foreign Missions,	152 38
Domestic Missions,	128 52
Other general objects,	45 00
Total,	<u>\$8,855 94</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. ROBERT K. MASSIE, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

B. W. Haxall, Treasurer—P. O., Dover.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 30, added white 3, total 30; removed 5, withdrawn 1, total 6; present number 24. Marriages: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$239 68
Episcopal—Missionary Society,	4 85
Education Society,	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	24 00
General—Foreign Missions,	4 85
Total,	<u>\$277 38</u>

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CHURCH OF OUR REDEEMER, JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. ROBERT MASSIE, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

B. W. Haxall, Treasurer—P. O., Dover.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 4, total 8. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 11 (of which by transfer 7), total 35; removed 1; present number 34. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$252 16
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	4 85
Education Society,	.	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	24 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	4 85
Total,	.	<u>\$290 86</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

G. Oscar Tavenner, Treasurer—P. O., Hamilton.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 54, added white 6 (of which by transfer 1), total 60; removed 2; present number, 58. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Contributions, \$28. Number of scholars confirmed, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$280 86
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	235 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$19.00 from mite boxes)	.	42 16
Education Society,	.	10 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	7 55
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	44 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	98 00
Other general objects,	.	25 00
Total,	.	<u>\$742 66</u>

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MT. CALVARY CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

Lee M. Dade, Treasurer—P. O., Paxson.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 15, added white (of which by transfer 1), total 24; removed 2; present number 22. Marriages; white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$ 95 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	132 17
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	3 00
Education Society,	54
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	4 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	11 13
Total,	<u>\$245 84</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

George Jackson, Treasurer—P. O., Luckets.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 21 (of which by transfer 1), total 22; removed 1; present number 21. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$192 90
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	105 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5.11 from mite boxes)	18 57
Education Society,	5 48
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	1 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	18 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	3 87
Total,	<u>\$344 92</u>

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LOUISA COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH AND CHAPEL, GREEN SPRINGS PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont.

Robert C. Perkins, Treasurer—P. O., Poindexter's.

Communicants: formerly reported white, 24; present number 24.
 Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white,
 teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$260 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	23 53
Education Society,	.	3 55
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	11 14
General—Foreign Missions,	.	2 83
Total,	.	\$301 05

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, TRINITY PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Leon Levy, Treasurer—P. O., Louisa.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 1. Communi-
 cants: formerly reported white 37, added white 1, total 38; died 1;
 present number 37. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$125 12
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	37 17
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$8.02 from mite boxes)	.	16 19
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	19 50
General—Foreign Missions,	.	5 62
Total,	.	\$203 60

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MADISON COUNTY.

PIEDMONT CHURCH, BROMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. E. W. COWLING, Rector.

Post-office—Madison.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 6, added white 4 (of which by transfer 4), total 10; present number 10. Marriages: colored 4. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 27, total 31. Contributions, \$15.80.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$220 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	164 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.80 from mite boxes)	31 30
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	6 00
General—Foreign Missions,	4 00
Total,	<u>\$425 30</u>

MATHEWS COUNTY.

CHRIST AND TRINITY CHURCHES, KINGSTON PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Dr. Thomas B. Lane, Treasurer—P. O., Port Haywood.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 53, added white 8, total 61; withdrawn 1, died 1, total 2; present number 59. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 30, total 33. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of the Brotherhood, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$166 66
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	176 34
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$13.24 from mite boxes)	27 88
Brotherhood,	1 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	44 50
Total,	<u>\$366 48</u>

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MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHRIST CHURCH PARISH.

Rev. J. H. HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague's.

E. B. Marston, Treasurer—P. O., Saluda.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 3, total 29; died 1; present number 28. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 48, total 58. Contributions, \$15. Number of catechisings, 15. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$200 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	30 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$8 from mite boxes),	15 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	28 00
Total,	<u>\$273 00</u>

NEW KENT COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

(Vacant).

Lane Lacy, Treasurer—P. O., Tunstall's.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 16, added white 3, total 19. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Contributions, \$11.92.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$11.92 from mite boxes)	\$19 00
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NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

Revs. E. B. BURWELL AND A. B. CHINN, Rectors.

W. C. Snow, Treasurer—P. O., Heathsville.

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Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 10, total 12. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 1, total 27; removed 8, withdrawn 2, died 1, total 11, present number 16. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	120 00
General—Domestic Missions,	1 00
Total,	<u>\$221 00</u>

WICOMICO CHAPEL, WICOMICO PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

J. F. SNOW, Treasurer—P. O., Wicomico Church.

Communicants: formerly reported white 16, added white 1, total 17; present number 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$59 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	12 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	3 12
Disabled Clergy,	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	8 00
Total,	<u>\$86 62</u>

ORANGE COUNTY.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. HANSBROUGH, Rector.

Post-office—Orange C. H.

John G. WILLIAMS, Treasurer—P. O., Orange C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 4, total 6. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 100, added white

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13 (of which by transfer 3), total 113; suspended 1, died 1, total 2; present number 111. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34. Contributions, \$5. Members of the Brotherhood, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$786	54
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	249	93
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$40.94 from mite boxes)	.	81	68
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	9	36
Disabled Clergy,	.	9	37
Brotherhood,	.	4	40
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	100	00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	20	00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	28	02
Total,	.	\$1,289	30

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Dr. James Dudley Pendleton, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 70, added white 11 (of which by transfer 5), total 81; removed 17, died 1, total 18; present number 63. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$239	33
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	45	53
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	19	45
Disabled Clergy,	.	1	67
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	3	45
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	55	00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	2	61
Other general objects,	.	30	00
Total,	.	\$397	04

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BARBOUR MEMORIAL CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

George Watson Barbour, Treasurer—P. O., Somerset.

baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 2, total 5. Confirmations: 2. Communicants: added white 19 (of which by transfer 17), 1 19; died 2; present number 17. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$232	77
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	1,198	50
Education Society,	.	11	40
Parochial—Foreign Missions,	.	5	34
Total,	.	\$1,448	01

ST. PAUL'S (COLORED) CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN (colored), Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Mrs. Modinia Brooks, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Confirmations: colored 1. Communicants: colored 28, added 1, total 29; present number 29. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: colored 3. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 3, scholars 83. Contributions, \$10. Number of catechisings, 12. Parochial schools: Number of paid teachers, 2, scholars 80.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$30	00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	20	15
Parochial—Domestic Missions,	.	5	00
Total,	.	\$55	15

CALVARY CHURCH (COLORED), ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN (colored), Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

James Cooper, Treasurer—P. O., Albano.

Communicants: formerly reported colored 23; withdrawn 1; pres-

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ent number 22. Sunday-schools: colored, teachers 2, scholars 51, total 53. Contributions, \$5.00. Number of catechisings, 10. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 1, scholars, 50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$25 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	6 00
General—Domestic Missions,	.	4 00
Total,	.	\$35 00

PAGE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

Frederick T. Amiss, Treasurer—P. O., Luray.

Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 4, total 28; removed 3; present number 25. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 15, total 19. Contributions—\$18.41. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$126 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	62 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$7 from mite boxes),	.	9 60
Education Society,	.	17 00
Total,	.	\$214 60

CALVARY CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

C. Powell Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Shenandoah.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 22, added white 5, total 27; present

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ber 27. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 60, total Contributions, \$52.46. Number of catechisings, 12. Number scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$335 87
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	247 73
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$21.50 from mite boxes)	32 70
Education Society,	12 18
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	12 00
General—Foreign Missions,	1 00
Total,	<u>\$641 48</u>

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY.

TRINITY CHURCH, DETTINGEN PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS D. LEWIS, Rector.

Post-office—Fairfax C. H.

R. W. Merchant, Treasurer—P. O., Manassas.

Baptisms: adults white 4. Confirmations: white 16. Communions: formerly reported white 65, added white 18 (of which by transfer 2), total 83; died 2; present number 81. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars total 114. Contributions, \$20. Number of catechisings, 5. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$204 90
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	15 77
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10.35 from mite boxes)	15 65
Education Society,	4 06
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	26 00
General—Foreign Missions,	4 00
Domestic Missions,	12 66
Other general objects,	135 00
Total,	<u>\$418 04</u>

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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HAYMARKET PARISH.

Rev. G. S. SOMERVILLE, Rector.

Post-office—Haymarket.

Arthur Thorp, Treasurer—P. O., Haymarket.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 5, total 10. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 154, added white 23 (of which by transfer 6), total 177; removed 11, withdrawn 3, died 1, total 15; present number 162. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 54, total 61. Contributions, \$46. Number of scholars confirmed, 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$934 58
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	366 09
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$31.29 from mite boxes) . . .	59 45
Education Society,	5 50
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 25
Disabled Clergy,	2 80
Brotherhood,	12 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	9 66
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	1 35
General—Foreign Missions,	19 00
Domestic Missions,	44 04
Virginia Bible Society,	10 00
Total,	<u>\$1,600 42</u>

DUMFRIES CHURCH, DETTINGER PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KLOMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Springman.

Communicants: formerly reported white 8; present number 8.
Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$32 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	58 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	3 00
Total,	<u>\$93 00</u>

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GRACE CHAPEL, HAYMARKET PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: present number 16.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary	.	\$35 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	15 00
Total,	.	<u>\$50 00</u>

RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, BLOOMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. CHARLES S. HARRISON, Rector.

Post-office—Sperryville.

Thomas Vigis, Treasurer—P. O., Hawlin.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 28; died 1; present number 27. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$55 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	24 70
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	12 72
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	1 87
General—Foreign Missions,	.	4 87
Total,	.	<u>\$99 16</u>

TRINITY CHURCH, BLOOMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. CHAS. S. HARRISON, Rector.

Post-office—Sperryville.

Edward M. Green, Treasurer—P. O., Gaines' Cross Roads.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 43, colored 1, total 44; died 1; present number 43. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25. Number of catechisings, 6.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	45 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.28 from mite boxes) . . .	22 59
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 22
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	3 21
Total, . . .	\$373 02

RICHMOND COUNTY.**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, LUNENBURG PARISH.**

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Rector.

Post-office—Warsaw.

G. Milton Sydnor, Treasurer—P. O., Warsaw.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 60, added white 4 (of which by transfer 3), total 64; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 60. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Contributions, \$20. Number of catechisings, 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$400 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	110 35
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$14.27 from mite boxes) . . .	51 71
Education Society, . . .	15 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	7 89
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	51 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	20 15
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	10 30
Other general objects, . . .	3 00
Total, . . .	\$669 40

EMMANUEL CHURCH, NORTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Rector.

Post-office—Warsaw.

W. Gray Brockenbrough, Treasurer—P. O., Emmerton.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white

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added white 8 (of which by transfer 2), total 36; died 1; present number 35. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$124 02
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$8.45 from mite boxes),	18 95
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	32 00
General—Foreign Missions,	55 00
Total,	<u>\$179 97</u>

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, ROCKINGHAM PARISH.

Rev. O. M. YERGER, Rector.

Post-office—Harrisonburg.

John P. Burke, Treasurer—P. O., Harrisonburg.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 87, added white 5, total 92; removed 5, died 1, total 6; present number 86. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 47, total 53; colored, scholars 2. Contributions, \$19.10. Number of scholars confirmed, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,258 33
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	31 84
Diocesan—Missionary Society (from mite boxes),	13 03
Education Society,	13 21
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	13 21
Disabled Clergy,	13 21
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	66 00
Total,	<u>\$1,408 83</u>

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GRACE MEMORIAL CHURCH, LYNNWOOD PARISH.

Rev. J. S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

Mrs. S. H. Lewis, Treasurer—P. O., Lynnwood.

Baptisms: infants white 8. Confirmations: white 3. Communi-
cants: formerly reported white 30, added white 3, total 33; removed
4, withdrawn 2, died 1, total 7; present number 26. Marriages:
white 5. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5.
scholars 26, total 31. Number of catechisings, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,
Other objects, including incidental expenses,
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$17.25 from mite boxes)
Disabled Clergy,
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,
Contingent Fund, paid last year,

Total,

\$126 22
22 00
33 54
34 71
6
15 0
\$232

SHENANDOAH COUNTY.

EMMANUEL AND ST. ANDREW'S CHURCHES, BECKFORD PARISH.

Rev. JAMES GRAMMER, Rector.

Post-office—Mt. Jackson.

L. Triplett, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Mt. Jackson.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported
removed 17, withdrawn 1, total 18; present number 96. Mar-
riages: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 36
Contributions, \$3.11.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,
Other objects, including incidental expenses,

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$17.39 from mite boxes)	28 41
Education Society,	1 80
Disabled Clergy,	1 29
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	46 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 70
Total,	<u>\$764 53</u>

SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. W. M. CLARK, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

D. H. Knox, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 10, total 11. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 263, colored 265; added white 10 (of which by transfer 9), aggregate 275; removed 10, died 5, total 15; present number 260. Marriages: 3. Funerals: white 15. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 25, scholars 150, total 175. Contributions, \$138.93. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers, 2; scholars, 10. Members of the Brotherhood, 6. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 6. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 25.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,330 35
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	981 91
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	175 00
Education Society,	125 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	40 00
Disabled Clergy,	30 00
Brotherhood,	11 85
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	35 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year	263 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	90 50
General—Foreign Missions,	80 00
Domestic Missions,	35 00
Other General Objects,	60 25
Total,	<u>\$4,257 86</u>

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 TRINITY CHURCH AND ST. GEORGE'S CHAPEL, ST. GEORGE'S
PARISH.

Rev. J. C. GRAY, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

Geo. B. Pearson, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 6, total 8. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 137, added white 13 (of which by transfer 5), total 150; removed 7, died 4, total 11; present number 139. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 19, scholars 110, total 129. Contributions, \$62.73. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 23.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,088 06
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	678 75
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	9 93
Education Society,	5 73
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	6 65
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	65 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	14 90
General—Foreign Missions,	42 67
Domestic Missions,	103 97
Other general objects,	21 22
Total,	<u>\$2,036 88</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. J. C. Gray, Officiating.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 12, added white 6, total 18; died 1; present number 17. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$15 49
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	1 40
Education Society,	2 94
Total,	<u>\$19 83</u>

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STAFFORD COUNTY.

AQUIA CHURCH, OVERWHARTON PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Hugh Adie, Treasurer—P. O., Garrisonville.

Communicants: present number 40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$30 00
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WARREN COUNTY.

CALVARY CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-office—Front Royal.

J. H. O. Kemp, Treasurer—P. O., Front Royal.

Baptisms: adults white 7, infants white 3, total 10. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 52, added 23 (of which by transfer 11), total 75; present number 75. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, 6, scholars 35, total 41. Number of catechisings 8. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$265 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	200 00
Parochial—Missionary Society (\$10.45 from mite boxes)	17 24
Education Society,	10 08
Disabled Clergy,	9 66
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	38 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	18 32
Parochial—Foreign Missions,	3 93
Total,	\$562 23

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WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

PAYNE CHAPEL AND ST. PETER'S CHURCH, WASHINGTON PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

Dr. Walker Washington, Treasurer—P. O., Oak Grove.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: white 64, added white 8 (of which by transfer 6), total 72; removed 2, withdrawn 2, died 1, total 5; present number 67. Marriages: white 10. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Number of scholars confirmed 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$395 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	143 06
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$30.07 from mite boxes)	107 43
Education Society,	5 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 00
Disabled Clergy,	3 25
Brotherhood,	5 50
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	2 06
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	43 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 00
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Domestic Missions,	12 00
Virginia Bible Society,	1 90
Other General Objects,	11 25
Total,	<hr/> \$739 95

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

John Goodridge, Treasurer—P. O., Montross.

Communicants: formerly reported white 14, added white 4, total

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18; withdrawn 2; present number 16. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$88 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	35 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6.24 from mite boxes) . . .	15 70
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	13 00
General—Virginia Bible Society, . . .	1 05
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$152 75

 ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Rector.

Post-office—Warsaw.

E. B. Hutt, Treasurer—P. O., Nomini Grove.

Communicants: present number 18.

 YEOCOMICO, NOMINI, AND COLE CHAPEL CHURCHES, COLE PARISH.

Rev. AUSTIN B. CHINN, Rector.

Post-office—Hague.

Frederick Griffith, Treasurer—P. O., Hague.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 5, total 7. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 94, added white 13 (of which by transfer 2), total 107; removed 5, died 5, total 10; present number 97. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 11, scholars 78, total 89. Contributions, \$46.17. Number of catechisings, 20. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 11.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$461 81
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	244 43
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$32.17 from mite boxes)	69 95
Education Society,	10 00
Disabled Clergy,	4 17
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	59 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 00
General—Foreign Missions,	17 00
Domestic Missions,	5 00
Virginia Bible Society,	5 19
Other general objects,	30 00
Total,	<hr/> \$908 55

MISCELLANEOUS.

RICHMOND, VA., APRIL 30TH, 1896.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.:

My Dear Bishop,—My report for the past year is—Baptisms: infants 7, adults 4. Number of services, 249.

Paid Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Society,	\$293 08
Expenses,	134 31
Total collected,	\$427 39

Respectfully submitted,

EVERARD MEADE, *Evangelist*.

MIDDLETOWN, VA., MAY 5TH, 1896.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.:

Rev. and Dear Bishop,—I offer the following report of the little work it has fallen to my lot to do the last twelve months:

I have occasionally conducted worship and preached in this Diocese and those of West Virginia and Southern Virginia for several of the brethren during their absence; and preached quite often at a country school-house and elsewhere.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. EVERETT.

VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE,
STAUNTON, VA., May, 1896.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE,

President of the Board of Trustees:

Dear Sir,—As Principal of the Virginia Female Institute, I beg to submit my report for the present session:

The whole number of pupils entered is eighty-six—of these twenty-three are day-pupils. This attendance has been most encouraging.

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as in all of the other schools of our city there is a marked loss of numbers, and one school did not open at all. We count but three less than our usual number of boarders, as enrolled for the past three years.

The session draws to its close, and with pleasure I can say a more satisfactory year has never passed over us. The moral tone of the school has been high, and the loving influence of our Rector, Rev. Robert C. Jett, is felt by each one.

The Bishop of our Diocese visited the Parish April 26th, when a class of *eight* went forward for confirmation from our household.

The general health of the family has been very good; no serious sickness of any kind has visited us, except one case of surgery.

The standard of scholarship is fairly well maintained, and as a school our only great need to put us on a footing with the best in our land is a change in our buildings. We need *more room* to compete satisfactorily with the schools of the day.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees, a committee was appointed to take some steps in this matter, and large results are hoped for through their active interest and energy.

It was stated by one gentleman that building can now be done for fully one-third less than five years ago. What better time could be found for the erection of the much needed addition?

The Faculty of the School wins for itself each year a renewal of assurances of the confidence reposed in it by patrons and pupils, and at present the indications are that little or no change will be made in it for the next session.

Desiring the confidence and support of our Dioceses, I am
Very respectfully,

MRS. J. E. B. STUART.

Secretary's Report of the "Virginia Branch" of the Woman's Auxiliary, 1896.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., President ex-officio:

As year after year the record of the work of "Virginia Branch" is respectfully submitted, we are conscious of a certain monotony of routine that is difficult to avoid, as the work is done on the same lines of "reasonable service" by the women of the Auxiliary. It

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s hard to make *written* words *glow* with the true spirit of enthusiasm and interest which really underlies the story of our work, *begun* in *faith*, and *finished* in *love*; but so, the women of the Church pursue the course marked out with an increasing zeal and love for Missions, and are learning that "*giving*" means "*receiving*;" that the *reflex* benefit has, in every case, come to them in a higher consecration and a nobler purpose; the principle of self-sacrifice has been generated; that the measure of zeal, devotion, and sacrifice will ever be the measure of the *prayers* and *alms* that will flow into the missionary treasure of God's Church.

The *goal* of our vision and effort is the *fulfillment* of our earnest attention, not to stop 'till every one of our seventy-two Parishes in the Diocese has a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. Until the Clergy and our women come to understand that they can never do their best *Parish work* 'till they have stretched out their hands to the *larger* interests of the Church, *they* will be hampered by the narrow spirit of parochialism, that neither sees nor *feels* the needs of others. The Woman's Auxiliary is developing a vast amount of latent power, boundless in its possibilities for the growth and prosperity of every branch of work, by utilizing the heretofore wasted energies of womanhood, and giving them *aim* and *direction*, by the influence of the missionary spirit, for enlarging and establishing the Kingdom of our Lord, and so sharing its final glorious consummation. The year has been marked with some advance; nine new branches have been added, and the "*Junior Department*" is at last steadily growing in numbers and interest. The Babies' Branch is gathering the lambs into the missionary arms of the Church, and will train them in loyal love for the cause by teaching missionary responsibility from baptism. Our gifts in money and boxes have been sent within and without the Diocese, and in more than one case keeping a missionary at his hard post by offering relief; China, Japan, Africa, and Brazil have all been remembered, and with the gifts, has gone a nobler offering—even one of Virginia's daughters—to give herself to the work of Missions in Japan, and others offering to go, or to devote their energies to Deaconess work at home, if possible.

Again, we thank the Bishops for continued encouragement in the work, and ask their interest and co-operation in time to come.

Miscellaneous.

SUMMARY.

Woman's Auxiliary—

Foreign Missions, . . .	\$981 50
Domestic Missions, . . .	563 09
Diocesan Missions, . . .	724 60
Value of boxes, . . .	<u>1,256 68</u>
Total, . . .	\$3,525 87

Junior Auxiliary—

Foreign Missions, . . .	\$144 15
Domestic Missions, . . .	142 48
Diocesan Missions, . . .	258 79
Value of boxes, . . .	102 40
Babies' Branch, . . .	<u>147 00</u>
Total, . . .	\$794 82
Grand total, . . .	<u>\$4,320 69</u>

Respectfully submitted,

S. STUART,

Secretary Virginia Branch.

 Miscellaneous.

REPORT OF SEMINARY MISSIONS FOR YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1896.

NAMES OF MISSIONS.	Baptisms.	Confirmations.	Communicants.	S. S. Teachers.	S. S. Scholars.	Contributions.	Contingent Fund.
dria R. R.	2	.....	24	2	40	.....	.....
on.	2	.....	24	7	60	\$ 100 00	\$ 8 00
Cross Roads.	10	8	32	4	30	100 00	13 00
Springs ....	.....	.....	.....	3	20	55 00	.....
Good Shepherd, colored. ....	.....	.....	17	6	48	10 86	.....
uel Sunday-school, white. ....	.....	3	.....	7	61	144 15	.....
on.	4	.....	.....	3	14	17 00	.....
y.	2	.....	43	6	33	125 00	10 50
ia.	3	6	13	3	50	92 68	3 00
.....	3	3	22	5	50	39 71	5 25
nd.	2	6	45	7	61	100 00	10 00
Totals.	26	26	196	53	467	\$754 40	\$49 75

SAMUEL A. WALLIS,
Rector Seminary Missions.

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DEACONS ORDAINED SINCE THE COUNCIL—THEIR CURES AND
POST-OFFICES.

Rev. J. Howard Gibbons, Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock
county, P. O., *Washington*.

Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, Trinity, Manassas, and Zion Churches,
P. O., *Fairfax C. H.*

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Bishops,	.	.	.	.	.	2
Clergy,	.	.	.	.	.	75
Adult baptisms,	.	.	.	.	195	
Infant baptisms,	.	.	.	.	451	
						646
Communicants,	.	.	.	.	.	9,807
Sunday-school teachers,	.	.	.	.	.	886
Sunday-school scholars,	7,092
Confirmations,	729
Contributions,	\$176,167 33

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THE ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH in the Diocese of Virginia, will be held in St. George's Church, FARMINGHAM, VA. on the third WEDNESDAY in May, 1897.

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St. JAMES' CHURCH, RICHMOND, JUNE 30, 1897.

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FORM OF A PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Church,		Parish,		County.	
Rev.	Wm. A. R. R.	Rev.	Wm. A. R. R.	Rev.	Wm. A. R. R.
BAPTISTS:		TREASURER,		Pastor.	
Adults white	Colored	Adults white	Colored	Adults white	Colored
Infants white	Colored	Infants white	Colored	Infants white	Colored
CUMULATIVE:—White		Colored		Total	
Previously reported white		Colored		Total	
Added white		Colored		Total	
(Of which by transfer)		(Of which by transfer)		(Of which by transfer)	
Number	Withdrawn	Suspended	Disced	Total	
Present number					
MARRIAGES:—White		Colored		Total	
FUNERALS:—White		Colored		Total	
SUNDAY SCHOOLS:		Teachers		Scholars	
White	Colored	White	Colored	White	Colored
Total		Total		Total	
Number of Contributions		Number of Scholars		Number of Scholars	
PARISHIAL SCHOOLS:—Number of paid teachers		Scholars		Scholars	
Members of the Brotherhood		Members of the Brotherhood		Members of the Brotherhood	
Members of Antislavery at St. Andrew		Members of Antislavery at St. Andrew		Members of Antislavery at St. Andrew	
Members of Woman's Auxiliary		Members of Woman's Auxiliary		Members of Woman's Auxiliary	
CONTRIBUTIONS					
Parochial:—Regular expenses, including salary		Regular expenses, including salary		Regular expenses, including salary	
Other objects, including incidental expenses		Other objects, including incidental expenses		Other objects, including incidental expenses	
Disbursements:—Missionary Society (including \$— from white boxes)		Missionary Society (including \$— from white boxes)		Missionary Society (including \$— from white boxes)	
Education Society		Education Society		Education Society	
Widows' and Orphans' Fund		Widows' and Orphans' Fund		Widows' and Orphans' Fund	
Disabled Clergy		Disabled Clergy		Disabled Clergy	
Brotherhood		Brotherhood		Brotherhood	
P. K. Church Home		P. K. Church Home		P. K. Church Home	
Confession of Faith paid last year		Confession of Faith paid last year		Confession of Faith paid last year	
Other objects in connection with Diocese		Other objects in connection with Diocese		Other objects in connection with Diocese	
General:—Foreign Missions		Foreign Missions		Foreign Missions	
Domestic Missions		Domestic Missions		Domestic Missions	
Virginia Bible Society		Virginia Bible Society		Virginia Bible Society	
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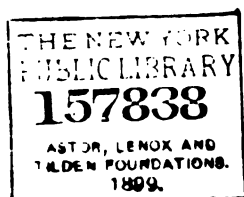
THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That at a meeting of the Vestry of _____, in _____ County, held on the _____ day of _____, 18_____, the following named persons, sons of said _____, viz: Mr. _____, _____, _____, _____, _____ and Mr. _____, _____, were duly appointed to represent the same in the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, to be holden at the city of _____ on the _____ day of _____, representing _____ to the seat of his Lord _____.

(Return original to Secretary of Council and give duplicate to delegate attending.)

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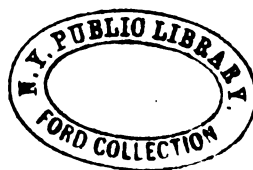
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PLACES OF MEETING OF THE COUNCIL.

WINCHESTER,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1898
RICHMOND,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1899
CHARLOTTESVILLE,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1900
ALEXANDRIA,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1901
FREDERICKSBURG,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1902



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LIST OF THE CLERGY
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Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D., LL.D., *Richmond.*

Rt. Rev. John B. Newton, D. D., *Richmond.*

Rev. Thomas M. Ambler.†

Rev. Clarence E. Ball, Grace Church, *Alexandria.*

Rev. J. H. Birckhead,† Assistant St. John's Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. E. B. Burwell, Christ Church Parish, *Lancaster C. H.*

Rev. Hartley Carmichael, D. D., St. Paul's Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. A. B. Chinn, Cople Parish, Westmoreland county, *Hague.*

Rev. W. P. Chrisman, Epiphany Church, *Barton Heights.*

Rev. William M. Clark, St. James' Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. J. J. Clopton, Upper Truro Parish, Fairfax county, *Herndon.*

Rev. John C. Cornick, Westover Parish, *Westover.*

Rev. Angus Crawford, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary,*
Fairfax county.

Rev. Parnell LeB. Cross, Slaughter Parish, Culpeper county, *Rapidan.*

Rev. Nelson P. Dame, Christ Church, *Winchester.*

Rev. D. C. T. Davis, St. Anne's Parish, Essex county, *Occupacia.*

† Absent.

List of Clergy.

Rev. J. S. Douglas, Luray Parish and Grace Church, Rockingham county, *Shenandoah*.

Rev. John Y. Downman, All Saints' Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. J. R. Ellis St. James', Louisa and Christ Churches, *Gordonsville*.

Rev. W. B. Everett,* *Vaocluse Station*.

Rev. J. H. Gibbons, Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock county, *Washington*.

Rev. E. L. Goodwin, St. Stephen's Church, *Culpeper C. H.*

Rev. Robert A. Goodwin, St. John's Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. James Grammer, D. D., Beckford Parish, *Mount Jackson*.

Rev. Carl E. Grammer, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary*, Fairfax county.

Rev. John J. Gravatt, Church of the Holy Trinity, *Richmond*.

Rev. Berryman Green, Christ Church, *Alexandria*.

Rev. E. H. Green,* Trinity Church, *Fredericksburg*.

Rev. John S. Hansbrough, St. Thomas' Church, *Orange*.

Rev. Charles S. Harrison,† *Richmond*.

Rev. S. S. Hepburn, St. Paul's and St. Martin's Parishes, Hanover county, *Oliver*.

Rev. Edwin S. Hinks, St. James' Church, *Leesburg*.

Rev. J. H. Hundley, D. D., St. Luke's Church, Essex county, *Montagues*.

Rev. John W. Johnson † (colored), St. Philip's Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. E. Valentine Jones, Walker's Parish, Albemarle county, *Cis-mont*.

Rev. J. C. Jones, Cunningham Chapel Parish, Clarke county, *Millwood*.

Rev. Henry F. Klowman, Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county, *Springman*.

Rev. John D. LaMothe, churches at Goresville, Round Hill and *Hamilton*, Loudoun county.

* No seat. † Absent.

List of Clergy.

Rev. William C. Latané, Washington Parish, Westmoreland county, *Oak Grove*.

Rev. H. B. Lee, Christ Church, *Charlottesville*.

Rev. Wm. B. Lee, † Abingdon and Ware Parishes, *Gloucester C. H.*

Rev. Hugh M. Martin, St. Luke's Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. Landon R. Mason, Grace Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. Robert K. Massie, † Meade and John's Parishes, *Upperville*.

Rev. John McGill, Falls Church, Fairfax county, *West End*.

Rev. John McNabb, Hanover Parish, *King George C. H.*

Rev. Everard Meade, Evangelist, *Richmond*.

Rev. George Otis Mead, Cedar Run and Emmanuel Parishes, Fauquier county, *Casanova*.

Rev. J M. Meredith,* *Rectory*.

Rev. W. J. Morton, South Farnham Parish, Essex county, *Tappahannock*.

Rev. Preston Nash, Christ Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. George W. Nelson, St. James' Church, *Warrenton*.

Rev. Frederick W. Neve, † St. Paul's and Emmanuel Churches, Albemarle county, *Ivy Depot*.

Rev. J. J. Norwood, Whittle Parish, Fauquier county, *The Plains*.

Rev. P. R. Nugent, Missionary, *Richmond*.

Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D., † Professor, *Theological Seminary*, Fairfax county.

Rev. Carter Page, Ridley Parish, Culpeper county, *Brandy Station*.

Rt. Rev. C. C. Penick, D. D.,* St. Mark's Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, Trinity Church, Manassas, Zion Church, *Fairfax C. H.*

Rev. P. P. Phillips, St. Paul's Church, *Alexandria*.

Rev. C. L. Price, St. John's Church, *West Point*.

Rev. B. M. Randolph, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county, *Brook Hill*.

Rev. F. A. Ridout, Assistant St. Paul's Church, *Richmond*.

* No seat. † Absent.

List of Clergy.

Rev. Thomas Semmes,† Lunenburg and North Farnham Parishes, Richmond county, *Warsaw*.

Rev. W. D. Smith,* St. George's Church, *Fredericksburg*.

Rev. George S. Somerville, Haymarket Parish, Prince William county, *Haymarket*

Rev. D. F. Sprigg,* D. D., *Richmond*.

Rev. F. S. Stickney, The Monumental Church, *Richmond*.

Rev. E. A. Temple, St. Thomas' Church, Middletown, Meade Memorial Church, White Post, and Calvary Church, *Front Royal*.

Rev. P. D. Thompson, Wickliffe Parish, Clarke county, *Wickliffe*.

Rev. Thomas W. Vaughan † (colored), St. Paul's Chapel, *Gordonsville*.

Rev. Cornelius Walker, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary*, Fairfax county.

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Rev. J. W. Ware, St. James' Church, *Ashland*.

Rev. S. S. Ware, St. Mary's Parish, Caroline county, *Port Royal*.

Rev. J. C. Wheat,† D. D., *Lynnwood*.

Rev. W. B. Williams,† Missionary, *Richmond*.

Rev. Henry Wingate, Kinston Parish, Mathews county, *Mathews C. H.*

Rev. O. M. Yerger,† Emmanuel Church, *Harrisonburg*.

* No seat. † Absent.

LIST OF LAY DELEGATES

ELECTED TO THE COUNCIL, MAY, 1897.

Ashby, William A., St. Mark's Parish, Culpeper county.

Baker, Albert, Christ Church, Winchester.

Barksdale, George A., St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.

Barton, Judge William S., Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.

Beverly, Robert, Jr., St. Anne's Parish, Essex county.

Blackford, L. M., Christ Church, Alexandria.

Boocock, Murray, Grace Church, Albemarle county.

Bossieux, Cyrus, St. John's Church, Richmond.

Branch, Travers, Immanuel Church, St. Paul's Parish, Hanover county.*

Bray, Joshua G., Abingdon Church, Gloucester county.*

Bryan, Joseph, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.

Campbell, Dr. J. L., Beckford Parish, Shenandoah county.*

Cary, E. C., Ware Church, Gloucester county.

Clagett, H. O., St. James' Church, Loudoun county.

Cochraine, John T., Grace and Trinity Churches, Whittle Parish, Fauquier county.

Cook, J. W., Calvary Church, Page county.*

Crabbe, W. R., Cople Parish, Westmoreland county.

Doswell, S. J., St. James' Church, Ashland.*

Dulany, R. Hunter, Meade Parish, Fauquier county.

Eastman, F. M., Christ Church, Middlesex county.

Edmonds, P. M., The Falls Church, Fairfax county.

* Absent.

List of Laity.

Ewell, Judge John C., Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.*

Fairbanks, S. G., St. Mark's Church, Richmond.

Gatewood, Dr. W. K., St. John's Church, West Point.

Green, E. M., Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock county.*

Harris, John T., Jr., Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.

Harrison, E. C., Westover Parish, Charles City county.

Harvey, John W., Montross Parish, Westmoreland county.*

Hopkins, C. A. S., Dettingen Parish, Prince William county.

James, B. O., St. James Northam Parish, Goochland county.

King, Charles, Grace Church, Alexandria.

Lamb, Judge J. C., St. James' Church, Richmond.

Landstreet, A. C., Pohick Church, Fairfax county.*

Lane, Dr. Thomas B., Kingston Parish, Mathews county.*

Lewis, Dr. T. M., Meade Memorial Church, Clarke county.

Machen, James P., Upper Truro Parish, Fairfax county.

Mackreth, Robert, St. Paul's Church, Albemarle county.

Marshall, Captain William C., Leeds Parish, Fauquier county.

Mason, John E., St. John's Church, King George county.

Mayo, P. H., All Saint's Church, Richmond.

McCormick, Thomas, Grace Church, Berryville.

McCray, Edward, St. Paul's Church, Loudoun county.

McVeigh, J. M., John's Parish, Loudoun county.*

Meade, Capt. W. T., St. James Church, Louisa county.*

Moncure, Powhatan, Overwharton Parish, Stafford county.

Moncure, Dr. Powhatan, St. Luke's Church, Emmanuel Parish,
Fauquier county.

Moncure, Dr. W. P., Zion Church, Fairfax county.

Moncure, Travers D., St. David's Church, King William county.

Moore, J. S., St. John's Church, Richmond.

Morton, Dr. C. B., Grace Church, Caroline county.

* Absent.

List of Lalty.

Munford, B. B., St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

Nalle, P. P., Ridley Parish, Culpeper county.

Nelson, Dr. J. J., St. John's Church, Rivanna Parish, Fluvanna county.*

Nelson, Dr. R. W., Christ Church, Charlottesville.

Noland, N. B., St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county.

Oliver, Nathan, St. Stephen's Church, Fauquier county.*

Page, R. Powell, Cunningham Chapel Parish, Clarke county.

Page, Rosewell, The Church of the Holy Trinity, Richmond.

Palmer, Col. Wm. H., Grace Church, Richmond.

Pendleton, Dr. J. D., Christ Church, Gordonsville.

Potts, Thomas, St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

Scott, Maj. R. Taylor, St. James' Church, Warrenton.

Smith, E. J., Wickliffe Church, Clarke county.

Tapscott, A. D., St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.

Taylor, John M., The Monumental Church, Richmond.

Temple, John, South Farnham Parish, Essex county.

Thornton, F. A. P., Christ Church, Richmond.

Tyler, George G., St. Paul's, Haymarket.

Wellford, R. Carter, St. John's Church, Richmond county.

Wheat, J. F., Quantico Church, Dumfries.

Wilkins, H. C., The Church of the Epiphany, Henrico county.

Williams, Dr. T. E., St. Paul's Church, Hanover county.

Williams, John G., St. Thomas' Church, Orange.

Wilmer, Joseph, Slaughter Parish, Culpeper county.

Wirt, Dr. William, Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.*

Woolnough, Charles, Greenwood Parish, Albemarle county.

Zimmerman, J. R., St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

* Absent.

RULES OF ORDER.

ORGANIZATION.

- 1st. The Council shall be opened each day with prayer.
- 2d. After the call to order no member shall remain standing, nor afterward stand except to address the chair.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1st. After the organization of the Council the following order of business shall be observed:

The appointment of a Treasurer *pro tempore* when the Treasurer is absent.

The adoption of rules of order.

The reading of the journal of the preceding day.

The reading of pastoral address.

The appointment of committees.

Report of standing committees.

Report of special committees.

Unfinished business.

- 2d. There shall be appointed by the President, not later than the *second* day of the Council, unless otherwise directed, the following standing committees, to consist of an equal number of each order:

A Committee on the State of the Church, to whom shall be referred the address of the Bishop on the opening of the Council.

A Committee on the Fund for the support of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen.

A Committee on the Episcopal Fund.

A Committee on the Brotherhood.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Disabled Clergy Fund.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Bruce Fund.

Rules of Order.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Missionary Society.

A Committee on Parochial Reports.

A Committee on the Admission of New Parishes.

A Committee on Elections.

A Committee on Finance, consisting of laymen.

A Committee on Clerical Support, consisting of *ten* laymen.

A Committee on Sunday-Schools.

3d. Immediately after the Reading of the Bishops' Addresses the Council shall proceed to elect the Standing Committee of the Diocese, the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and such other Committees as are necessary for the transaction of the business of the Diocese until the next annual meeting of the Council.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1st. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, and if in writing, be read by the Secretary, before debate.

2d. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed in possession of the Council, but may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before amendment or decision, with the consent of the second.

3d. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any member require it.

4th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted under color of amendment as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

5th. When a question is under debate no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a certain day, to commit or to amend; which several motions shall have precedence in the order enumerated.

6th. The previous question shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present; it shall be in this form: "Shall the main question now be put?" and until decided all debate and amendment are precluded.

Rules of Order.

7th. A motion to adjourn, or to lay on the table, shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

8th. When a member desires to speak in debate, or present any matter to the Council, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personality.

9th. If any member transgresses the rules of the Council the President shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately take his seat unless permitted to explain. If the ruling of the President be appealed from, the Council shall decide the appeal without debate.

10th. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

11th. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question without leave of the Council.

12th. The vote on all questions shall be taken by ayes and noes, whenever five members require it.

13th. Any member may call for the division of the question where the sense will admit of it, but a motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible.

14th. Every member who may be in the house when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

15th. No member shall vote upon a question in the decision of which he is immediately and personally interested.

16th. Upon a division and count of the Council on any question, no member shall be counted who is not within the limits assigned as seats to the members.

17th. When a question has been decided by the Council or postponed indefinitely, it may be reconsidered upon motion made by a member voting in the majority; *provided*, such motion be made on the same or next succeeding day of the session.

18th. No motion or resolution appropriating any of the funds of the Diocese shall be adopted until it has been reported upon by the Finance Committee.

Rules of Order.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1st. No member shall absent himself from the meetings of the Council without leave, unless he be sick or unable to attend.

2d. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats with out the limits of those allotted to the use of the members, which shall be appropriated to the accommodation of visiting clergymen and candidates for orders who may be invited by the Rector or Wardens of the church in which the meetings of the Council are held, under the direction of the President and Council.

3d. No spectators shall, during the daily sessions of the Council be admitted above or within the pews allotted to the members, and the Rector and Wardens of the church in which the sessions of the Council are held are directed to see that this rule is enforced.

4th. No rule of order shall be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

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ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, FREDERICKSBURG, VA.,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 19TH, 1897.

The One Hundred and Second Annual Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia met on the 19th day of May, 1897, in St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, Va., at 10 A. M., for Divine service.

There were present in the chancel the Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, the Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton, and the Revs. E. S. Hinks, J. D. LaMothe, E. B. Burwell, and the rector, the Rev. W. D. Smith.

The sermon from the text, "Preach the word" * * "For it is the power of God," Tim. iv: 2, and Rom. i: 16, was preached by the Rev. E. B. Burwell, of Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county, Va.

The Holy Communion was administered by Bishop Whittle, assisted by Bishop Newton.

After Divine service the Council was called to order by the Bishop.

The roll was called and a quorum of both orders being present, the Council was declared organized and ready for business.

Order for the Day, Resolutions, &c.

The Rev. E. Meade moved that the Rules of Order of the last Council be adopted (with the following amendment offered by the Rev. W. C. Latané, which was accepted by Mr. Meade), that in the 12th division under the "Order of Debate" in the Rules of Order, be inserted the word "five" in place of the word "seven."

Carried.

On motion of the Rev. W. M. Clark it was resolved, that in view of the decrease of the offerings for Diocesan Missions, that the report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society be made the order for the day, to-morrow, immediately after the election of committees, which by the Rules of Order follows the reading of the Bishops' addresses.

The following resolutions, offered by Rev. S. A. Wallis, were then adopted:

1. *Resolved*, That the Council meet each day at 9:30 A. M. for Divine service, to be followed by the regular business meeting till 1:30 P. M., with a recess till 3:30. The afternoon session to last till 5 o'clock.

2. *Resolved*, That the visiting clergy in the city, students for the ministry, and ministers of other churches in the city be invited to seats on the floor of the Council.

Mr. Thos. Potts offered the following:

We, the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, assembled in St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, Va., having learned of the sickness of Major John Page, for many years the Lay Delegate from St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county, Va., desire to express our sympathy, and hope that Major Page may soon be restored to health, and we direct the Secretary to convey to him this action of the Council.

Carried.

On motion of Rev. Landon R. Mason—

Resolved, That the report of the committee to whom was referred the question of altering the charter of the Theological Seminary and Episcopal High School be made the order of the day for this afternoon.

Carried.



Standing Committees.

The President then appointed the following Standing Committees:

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Rev. John McGill,	Mr. Thos. Potts,
“ H. B. Lee,	“ Walter R. Crabbe,
“ J. H. Hundley,	“ E. C. Cary,
“ R. A. Goodwin,	“ R. H. Dulany.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

Rev. J. R. Ellis,	Mr. John Temple.
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EPISCOPAL FUND.

Rev. J. Y. Downman,	Mr. Rosewell Page.
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BROTHERHOOD.

Mr. L. M. Blackford,	Judge J. C. Lamb,
Mr. B. B. Munford.	

DISABLED CLERGY.

Rev. P. LeB. Cross,	Dr. W. P. Moncure.
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BRUCE FUND.

Rev. S. S. Hepburn,	Mr. Thos. M. McCormick.
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DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

Rev. J. W. Ware,	Mr. Edgar McCray,
“ A. B. Chinn,	“ J. S. Moore.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Rev. J. J. Clopton,	Mr. Chas. Woolnough,
“ S. S. Ware,	“ S. J. Doswell,
“ John S. Douglas,	“ J. R. Zimmerman.

NEW PARISHES.

Rev. H. Carmichael,	Mr. George G. Tyler,
“ E. A. Temple,	“ John M. Taylor.

 Report of the Invested Funds of the Diocese.

ELECTIONS.

Rev. John D. LaMothe, Mr. J. W. Harvey.

FINANCE.

Mr. Jos. Bryan, Mr. Jos. Wilmer,
 " R. P. Page, Col. W. H. Palmer,
 Judge W. S. Barton.

CLERICAL SUPPORT.

Mr. John G. Williams, Mr. J. W. Cook,
 " E. C. Harrison, " H. O. Clagett,
 " R. C. Wellford, " P. H. Mayo,
 Major R. T. Scott, " J. M. McVeigh,
 Dr. R. W. Nelson, " C. A. S. Hopkins.

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

Rev. J. J. Gravatt, Mr. F. M. Eastman,
 " E. L. Goodwin, " N. B. Noland,
 " Robt. K. Massie, " H. C. Wilkins.

He also appointed the following Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates: Rev. W. M. Clark, Mr. Jno. G. Williams, and Capt. Wm. C. Marshall.

Bishop Newton then presented the account of the Treasurers of the Invested Funds of the Diocese.

REPORT OF THE INVESTED FUNDS OF THE DIOCESE.

RICHMOND, VA., May 12, 1897.

To the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

We, the trustees of the funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, herewith respectfully submit the accounts of the several treasurers of the funds held by us, viz: the Disabled Clergy Fund, Widows' and Orphans' Fund, Episcopal Fund, and the Bruce Fund.

JAS. M. BALL,
Secretary and Treasurer.

JOHN B. NEWTON,
President.

Report of Standing Committee of the Diocese.

The Rev. E. L. Goodwin presented a petition in regard to the boundary lines between St. Mark's and Ridley Parishes in Culpeper county, Va., which was referred to the Committee on New Parishes.

Bishop Newton then introduced the Rev. Dr. Jas. H. Lamb, who spoke to the Council on the subject of the Clergyman's Retiring Fund, of which he is the General Secretary.

The Rev. E. L. Goodwin offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the family of the late Rev. Dr. Philip Slaughter, sometime Historiographer of the Diocese, be authorized to deposit with the Trustees of the Theological Seminary any books, manuscripts, or maps remaining in their possession which they consider properly to belong to the Diocese, to be preserved in the library of the Seminary.

On motion, the Council adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, 4 P. M.

The Council re-assembled, called to order by Bishop Newton.

The Rev. P. P. Phillips moved that the Secretary send fraternal greetings to the conventions of the Dioceses of Washington and Maryland.

Carried.

The Rev. P. P. Phillips read the report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, and presented the report of Trustees of the Seminary and High School.

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese of Virginia report that since the last Annual Council (1896) the following persons have been recommended as candidates for Holy Orders—viz:

James H. Cox,	Charles Edwin Perkins,
Benjamin Johnson Darneille.	

The following for Deacons' Orders—viz:

Joseph Howard Gibbons,	Cassius Lee Price,
William H. Laird.	

Report of the Trustees of the Theological Seminary and High School.

The following for Priests' Orders—viz:

Rev. Henry F. Kloman,
" G. O. Mead,

Rev. E. A. Temple,
" Hugh McDonald Martin.

Consent was given to the election of the Rt. Rev. William David Walker, S. T. D., LL. D., as Bishop of Western New York, and to the consecration of the Rev. James Dow Morrison, D. D., LL. D., as Missionary Bishop of Duluth.

Respectfully submitted,

P. P. PHILLIPS, *Secretary*.

JOSEPH PACKARD, *President*.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND
HIGH SCHOOL.

The Trustees of the Seminary and High School herewith respectfully present their annual report to the Council of the Diocese:

In the Seminary the total number of students is thirty-nine, distributed by classes, as follows: Senior Class, ten; Middle Class, ten; Junior Class, fourteen; special students, five. Twelve Dioceses are represented.

The High School reports a diminished number of pupils, owing to the depressed condition of the country; but in other respects the report is excellent.

The property has been well cared for and greatly improved by the Proctor, Mr. Joseph Wilmer.

An abstract of the reports of the Professors in the Seminary and of the Principal of the High School, is appended.

Respectfully,

P. P. PHILLIPS, *for the Trustees*.

REPORT OF PROFESSOR OF SYSTEMATIC DIVINITY AND HOMILETICS.

To the Board of Trustees of the

Theological Seminary of Virginia:

The Professor of Systematic Divinity respectfully submits the following report of the studies pursued in his classes during the current session:

The Junior Class, for part of the session, reciting once a week, have studied Chadbourne's Natural Theology, and have just passed their examination.

The Middle Class, reciting five times a week, have studied Butler's Analogy, my outlines of Theology, with Knapp as reference; in connection with this, a study of the arrangement and doctrinal contents of the Epistles of the New Testament. The Analogy has been finished with the examination, and they are in review of the remaining work. To these have been added, during part of the session, recitations twice a week of Mead's Supernatural

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Revelation and Oehler's Old Testament Theology. Also essays in Systematic Divinity and exercises in the construction of sermons.

The Senior Class, with three recitations per week, and the Wednesday evening exercise, have studied the Articles with Boulton, with reference to Arnett and Browne. They have also studied, in Natural Theology, Hopkins' Outline Man, and Homiletics in Dr. Broadus' book, with exercises in harmonising.

I have also gone over with this class the history of the Prayer-Book, as to its sources, material and interpretation, as also its changes in the Church of England and in this country, using Dr. Butler's History, Canon Barry's Students' Prayer-Book, and the more elaborate work of Blakeney, in the way of reference. Along with these, I have given a course of lectures on Liturgics, and studied lectures on Christian Ethics.

C. WALKER.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF GREEK LANGUAGE, &c., &c.

to the Board of Trustees of the
Theological Seminary of Virginia:

The Senior Class has followed its regular course in the Greek Testament as laid down in the catalogue, with the exception that instead of the Gospel of St. Luke, the Gospel of St. John has been studied chiefly along its theological lines, using as a basis of teaching Steven's Johannine Theology. Essays have been written for the final examination on this Gospel. The work of the Class will close with the study of the Apocalypse, which has just been taken up.

The Middle Class has studied with careful attention to exegesis all of the and half of the II Epistle to the Corinthians, with Romans and Galatians. The Class has now entered upon the study of Hebrews, with which its work for the session will close.

The Junior Class commenced its work with St. John's Gospel and then took up St. Luke, studying it in harmony with the other synoptics. The Epistles of St. Paul to the Thessalonians will complete the course. On the literature of the New Testament Schaff's Companion to the Greek Testament and Bishop Westcott's Bible in the Church have been studied in this Class. The usual work has been done in Church Polity by the Senior Class, closing with the examination at the end of March. From that time to the close of the session this Class gives the hours previously given to Polity to Pastoral Theology. Instruction is given in this department on the Greek text of the Pastoral Epistles supplemented by lectures.

The work of the classes during this session has been exceptionally good. Especially in the Junior Class the benefits of a college course are very apparent.

SAMUEL A. WALLIS,

Professor of the Greek Testament, Church Polity and Pastoral Theology.

Report of the Professor of Ecclesiastical History and Canon Law

REPORT OF PROFESSOR OF HEBREW, ORIENTAL LANGUAGES AND
APOLOGETICS.

*To the Board of Trustees of the
Theological Seminary of Virginia:*

The Senior Class has read critically in Hebrew selected portions from all the Prophets, in chronological order, analyzing the several books and studying carefully the periods and events of their ministries. Special attention is given to all critical questions involved, to the development of Messianic prophecy, and the grammatico-historical method is emphasized throughout. The study of Hebrew Syntax is completed.

The Middle Class has read seventeen Psalms critically, including the more important Messianic Psalms. Also selected portions of Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Songs and Job, in connection with introduction to the same, special attention being given to the principles of Hebrew Poetry and their application. The study of Harper's Syntax continued from the Junior year.

The Juniors read in Hebrew portions of Genesis, Exodus and the other Historical Books, mastering the elements of Hebrew Grammar, a vocabulary of 1,000 words, and Hebrew accentuation; also the elements of Syntax. The aim is to familiarize them with the entire range of Historical Hebrew, and for the final examination they are required to read at sight. The Higher Criticism is carefully explained, together with its most important applications.

It will thus be seen that in the course the Hebrew Bible is practically covered. This, we consider, provides a better preparation for the ministry and foundation for future study than concentration upon two or three books. The students become familiar with the Hebrew and style of the different books, their contents and literary features, and all fundamental questions are mastered.

The usual instruction in Apologetics is given, supplemented by lectures. The Theistic ground is gone over. The evidences for Christianity proper are studied up to date, and special objections discussed.

Respectfully submitted,

A. CRAWFORD.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF ECCLESIASTICAL HISTORY AND
CANON LAW.

After the record of the past two years, in which my work was interrupted by sickness, it is with special pleasure and gratitude that I report that I have not lost a single recitation, or appointment to speak or preach thus far, this session, on account of ill-health.

The work of the different classes has followed in the main, the outline laid down in the catalogue, a copy of which has been sent to each of the Trustees. The Senior Class which was a little behind in its work, has recovered to a great extent its ground.

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Fisher's History of the Reformation, has been studied, together with Merry's History of the Church of England, down to the silencing of Convocation.

The study of Canon Law has just been taken up, and the rest of the scholastic year will be occupied with this subject, and with lectures on the history of the Church of England in the 18th and 19th centuries.

The Middle Class has completed the usual course in the first and second volumes of Smith's Ecclesiastical History. Before the session closes, the class will study the era of the Reformation in Fisher. Following out a long cherished design, I have enriched the curriculum, in my department, by adding a text book on the History of Doctrine. The book chosen has been Sheldon's History of Christian Doctrine. The Senior Class has studied and been examined on the history of doctrine from 1517 to 1720 A. D., and the Middle Class will complete this week, the first volume that treats of the doctrinal history of the Church down to the Reformation. I believe that this course of study has been a great addition to my department, and I call the attention of the Trustees particularly to this new text book.

In the Junior Class, the rate of progress was sufficiently rapid to carry the class through the usual work of the year by the 5th of April. For the remaining two and a half months of the session, the study of Ante-Nicene Christianity has been taken up. The text book is the 2nd volume of Schaff's History of the Christian Church, and it is hoped that at the present rate of progress, it may be completed by the close of the session. By this means it may be possible to gain sufficient time for the study of the third and fourth volumes of the same work in the Middle year.

The progress of this class shows the good results of the college training of our men.

As a member of the library committee, I desire to add, that the availability of the books will be greatly increased by the introduction of a card catalogue of authors, as the committee has suggested to the Executive Committee of the Trustees.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. GRAMMER.

ABSTRACT OF ANNUAL REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL, MAY 4, 1897.

The whole number of pupils, including nine day scholars, entered this session is sixty-eight. This decline in numbers is believed to be due solely to the hard times, and as it is shared by most schools in the State, we have no right to complain. The health of the School has been better than in any year since 1870. No epidemic has visited us, and there has been no sickness of any kind grave enough to require even once the use of the infirmary. Good conduct and diligence, equally with good health, have been a dis-

Changes in Charter of Theological Seminary and High School.

tinguishing mark of the session. The religious exercise and influences of the School have been as before, and the propriety and conscientiousness of behavior which have prevailed among the boys warrant the belief that they have not been in vain. Repeated special services in the School Chapel by Professor Grammer; the regular Friday night devotional meeting, conducted by Mr. W. P. Capers, of the Seminary Middle Class; and the example and control of an excellent corps of masters have been added to my own constant efforts in behalf of the moral and religious elevation of our charge. Including three confirmed here on the 2d inst., the number of communicants among the boys is twenty-six.

L. M. BLACKFORD.

Rev. L. R. Mason, when the order of the day arrived—the report of Committee in regard to changes in the Charter of the Theological Seminary and High School—moved that the same be postponed till the next Council, and the committee continued.

Lost.

The Rev. L. R. Mason, chairman of a committee appointed last year, read the report in regard to changes in the charter of the Theological Seminary and High School.

REPORT ON CHANGES OF CHARTER OF THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND HIGH SCHOOL.

Your Committee, to whom was referred the question of the expediency of requesting the Board of Trustees of Theological Seminary and Episcopal High School to move the Legislature to alter, in some respects, the charter of said Board, ask leave to report that in order to establish closer and more cordial relations between the Board and the churches of the several Dioceses of Virginia, Southern Virginia, and West Virginia, and to receive the heartier and more liberal support of the Theological Seminary and Episcopal High School on the part of the churches, some change would be expedient. In the judgment of your Committee this can best be effected by giving the Councils in the several Dioceses some voice in the control of the aforesaid institutions.

Your Committee recognize the fact that the details of this management must be left in the hands of a smaller and select body of competent persons, such as now compose the Board, rather than discussed in open Council. We, therefore, propose no radical or revolutionary change in the method which now exists, and which in the main has worked well in the past. We do not even contemplate the removal of a single member of the present Board.

Minority Report.

Our sole object is to impress upon the minds and hearts of our people in the several Dioceses the truth that these institutions are *theirs*—theirs by the facts of history, and theirs by the right of inheritance. *Theirs* because they are founded by the piety and wisdom of their forefathers, and theirs because they have been to very many of them nurseries of evangelical truths and fountains of spiritual life.

We would have our people feel that these institutions have been sources of blessing not only to our own Dioceses, but to the greater Church in the country at large, to which they have furnished pioneer missionaries—bishops, ministers, and laymen—in every Diocese in the land. We would have them feel that these are institutions of whose past work and record they may well be proud, and for which they may thank God and take courage. But we would have them also feel that they are institutions whose future course of prosperity and usefulness depends, not only on gifts and legacies from outside sources, however acceptable these may be, but also, and largely, upon the loyal and self-denying support, the confidence, and the *love* of our churches and people at home. We think that it is evident that this feeling of loyalty is not what it once was, and certainly not quite what it ought to be. It is, then, as servants of the great Head of the Church—the Bishop and Shepherd of our souls—that we venture to suggest a method by which the relations between the churches and the Board may be made closer, more personal and more cordial. To that end we deem it expedient that the Board of Trustees be requested by this Council to memorialize the Legislature so to amend the existing charter that in future—

(1) The Bishops of the several Dioceses in Virginia and West Virginia shall be *ex-officio* members of the said Board.

(2) That each vacancy hereafter occurring in the Board by death, resignation, &c., shall be filled by the election by the annual Diocesan Council of the Diocese in which the vacancy occurs, of one person from three nominees made by the Board to the Council.

L. R. MASON,
JAMES GRAMMER,
R. TAYLOR SCOTT.

Mr. Joseph Bryan then presented a minority report on the same subject, which was adopted.

MINORITY REPORT.

I am unable to sign the report of the committee, because it assumes that there is a marked, and therefore a serious, alienation of the sympathy and support of the churchmen of the Dioceses of Virginia, Southern Virginia, and West Virginia, from the Seminary and High School, because of the

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manner in which the Trustees are constituted, and possibly, but only inferentially, because of their management of the Institution committed to their charge.

This alienation may exist, but I do not know it, and have no sufficient evidence of its existence to justify me in acknowledging it, and proposing alterations in the charter under which the Seminary and High School are held and managed, in order to remove it.

The report assumes further, that the property held by the Trustees, belongs to the three Dioceses now occupying the territory of the Diocese of Virginia, as of February 28, 1854, when the charter was granted the Trustees.


The property which at that time was conveyed to the Trustees, being about one-fifth or even less than now held by the Trustees, unquestionably belonged in equity to the Diocese of Virginia, but for good and sufficient reasons, that property was by the Diocese, conveyed absolutely, without qualification or reservation, to the Trustees named in the Charter, with power to fill vacancies without the control or interference of the Diocese of Virginia, or of any other organization or person.

Since that conveyance was made, in 1854, the Trustees under the Charter, have received gifts from all over the country, amounting to several times the amount conveyed by the Diocese of Virginia, and with the full knowledge and presumably the full approbation of the donors of the terms of the Charter touching the self-perpetuation of the Trustees.

How far this provision may have influenced the making of these gifts cannot be known, or rather, is not known to me, but so important a feature could not have been ignored. The question now arises, would the Trustees be justified in changing the terms under which they took gifts, without obtaining the consent of the donors?

The report of the committee is framed in a loving and Christian spirit, and if the state of feeling really exists against the management of the Seminary and High School, which it assumes, at least by implication, to exist, it is most desirable that it should be changed. Certainly it would be a distressing condition, when the Alumni of the Seminary and the High School feel a want of full affection for their respective alumnae matres, or lack confidence in their custodians.

If, in the opinion of the Dioceses of Virginia—Southern Virginia and West Virginia—this condition exists, and they are further of the opinion that the amendment proposed by the committee will create the cordial relationship between the churchmen of the three Dioceses and the Seminary and High School, which is desired by all, the proposition of the committee is, in my opinion, in the form least objectionable to the terms of the trust in which it could be framed. In view, however, of all the circumstances under which the property was obtained, and of the difficulty of securing concurrent action by the Councils of the three Dioceses upon the subject, and the further difficulty of framing conditions in a Virginia charter which would give legal rights



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to the Councils of the Dioceses of Virginia, Southern Virginia and West Virginia—which are voluntary associations not known to or provided for in the law—I believe it would be wiser not to take the proposed action at all.

I submit, therefore, the following resolution:

Resolved, This Council deems it inexpedient at this time to take any action to secure the amendment of the Act of Incorporation of the Trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary and High School in Virginia, passed February 28, 1854.

Respectfully submitted by

JOSEPH BRYAN.

Fredericksburg, Va., May 19, 1897.

Adjourned to meet at 8 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.

The Council assembled in the interest of Diocesan Missions.

There were present in the chancel Bishop Whittle and Bishop Newton, and the Revs. W. D. Smith, L. R. Mason, E. L. Goodwin, S. S. Hepburn, and Preston Nash.

After Divine service, conducted by Rev. W. D. Smith, the Rev. Preston Nash read the report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF VIRGINIA.

The Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia respectfully report:

Since its last annual report your committee has been called upon to record the death of its beloved Secretary, Rev. Pike Powers, D. D., who entered into eternal rest on the 20th day of February, 1897. Our brother was for twenty-one years the rector of St. Andrew's Church, Richmond, Va., and for more than eighteen years was the Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and editor of its official organ, "Our Diocesan Work." Doctor Powers was eminently qualified for the work in which it pleased God to use him. He possessed a well-trained, thoroughly-equipped mind, and a character singularly attractive in its quiet modesty, its genuine kindness, and its zeal in all manner of good. In his death the Church has lost one of her most self-sacrificing clergy; this Diocese has given up a devoted son and useful

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servant; and the Missionary Society has been deprived of a member whose wisdom and practical knowledge, combined with a truly Catholic spirit, constituted him a safe counsellor, an efficient administrator, and a faithful, zealous advocate.

Your committee have elected Rev. Preston Nash, rector of Christ Church, in Richmond, Va., to succeed Doctor Powers in the offices of Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and editor of Our Diocesan Work. The following table of receipts and expenditures is submitted:

RECEIPTS FOR 1896-7. TO MAY 13, 1897.

Balance from 1895-6	\$2,328 33
Received from churches.	4,850 42
Received from mite-boxes.	1,772 93
Total.	\$8,951 68
Expenditures	7,633 92
Leaving balance on hand.	\$1,317 76

The sum distributed through the Committee for Missions has gone to the aid of twenty-nine counties, thirty-eight parishes, sixty-six churches, chapels and missions, thirty-three missionaries.

The statistics for the year ending May 1, 1896, show at that time in this Diocese thirty-eight counties, sixty-six parishes, one hundred and forty-eight churches, chapels and missions, seventy-seven clergy. Comparing this table with the one just given you will perceive that missionary aid has been given to seventy-six per cent. of all the counties, fifty-seven per cent. of all the parishes, forty-three per cent. of all the churches, chapels and missions, forty-two per cent. of all the clergy.

These figures are approximately correct, and bear witness to the fact that ours is a missionary Diocese, the larger part of whose territory is dependent for the "Bread of Life" upon the Christly spirit of love and generosity animating and controlling the disciples of our Lord in the smaller and more favored sections. David was loth to house himself in cedar while the Ark of God remained in curtains; nor may we, with consciences void of offense toward man and God, minister abundantly to ourselves while our brethren for whom Christ died suffer spiritual hunger.

There are vast possibilities for the Church in this Diocese, and there are heavy responsibilities laid upon her. She has received the "faith once delivered to the saints;" her past history shows that in all purity and simplicity she has taught it to her children; she has made for herself a name so truly Catholic and conservative that she has won, and is winning, the respect and reverence of all thoughtful people; she offers a grateful retreat to those who would escape or avoid distractions, uncertainties and dissensions in their militant church life; and she is commissioned to carry her treasures and offer

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er asylum to the remotest dwellers in her remotest borders. Our Lord will demand of her in judgment an account of her stewardship; the unaided, whose souls' salvation may be jeopardized through ignorance, will witness against her, and she will charge her failure against us if we put not in her power the means to accomplish her mission. Our general statistics will show that the Church is not lacking in generosity toward other objects, but the returns declare a decrease in her offerings for our Diocesan Mission work.

We offer no formal suggestions for increasing the missionary funds. We believe that if each of us who have found in Christ a Saviour, in our Church, Divinity-given guide leading men to Him—that if we should recognize the need of our brethren in remote places in our Diocese, realizing that this need can only be supplied by our devotion and self-sacrifice; that if we should be filled with that charity that animated St. Paul, causing him to exclaim, "My heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is that they 'might be saved;'" that if we would go home to our friends and tell them "what great things the Lord hath done for us," "charging them that they do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to distribute, willing to communicate," then there would be no lack in "God's storehouse," and we might claim His promise to "Open the windows of heaven, and pour us out a blessing that there be not room to receive it." Then might we hearken to hear it said of our Diocese: Venerable in age, honorable in history, reverend in character, full of love for man and God—"Behold, it is a prosperous and a delightful land."

Your Committee would commend the work of the Sunday-schools in the interest of Diocesan Missions. The following tables show what proportions of the offerings for this purpose they have made during the last three years:

Total receipts for Diocesan Missions, 1894-'5	\$9,946 93
Of which there was balance from previous year	2,831 00
Received from churches.	5,042 93
" " mite-boxes	2,072 98
Total receipts for Diocesan Missions, 1895-'6	\$9,357 54
Of which there was balance from previous year	2,442 39
Received from churches.	4,511 22
" " mite-boxes.	2,403 93
Total receipts for Diocesan Missions, 1896-'7	\$8,951 68
Of which there was balance from previous year	2,328 33
Received from churches.	4,850 42
" " mite-boxes	1,772 93

An average of more than forty-two per cent. of all contributions to Diocesan

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Missions for three years, given through the Lenten Mite-Boxes distributed to the Sunday-schools.

The children of the Church have responded to the call of the Bishop, and their lenten offerings have proved their zeal and self-sacrifice. It is well to commend, but it may prove disastrous to a cause if the splendid work of volunteers tempt veterans to relax their vigilance or to shift their responsibilities.

It was never intended that the missionary offerings of the Sunday-schools should decrease those of the Church; on the contrary, the mite-boxes were to be supplementary, the efforts of the children were to be example and stimulus to their elders, and their voluntary gifts were to open new fields impracticable without new means. The lenten appeals to the Sunday-schools have served a good purpose in educating the children in the School of Missions, but is it not possible that because of their generous response the Church may feel herself relieved in some degree of her own responsibility? Her annual contributions have not increased with the demands made upon her; she has not answered the "Macedonian Cry," coming from wider fields and vaster possibilities. Has there not been a steady growth in the expensiveness of parish machinery, more urgent calls for aid to local charities and benevolent institutions, a multiplication of domestic, social and business appeals marking as necessities, all drawing heavily upon her revenues. Answering these, may she not assume that her obligation to missions is lessened when her deficiency is met, in part, from some other source? These are questions, not assertions. The statistics are before you. The subject is one for earnest reflection, radical heart-searching, and devout prayer; therefore, in view of the decrease in the offerings for Diocesan Missions,

Resolved, "That the Executive Committee request that their report be made the order of the day immediately after the election of the committees, which by the rules of order follow the reading of the Episcopal address."

PRESTON NASH,
Sec. Ex. Com. D. M. S.

Addresses were made by Revs. L. R. Mason, E. L. Goodwin, and S. S. Hepburn.

The offerings of the Congregation were taken for Diocesan Missions.

The congregation was then dismissed by Bishop Whittle.

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ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, FREDERICKSBURG, VA.,

MAY 20, 1897, 9:30 A. M.

The Council met for Divine service, when a sermon was preached by Rev. H. B. Lee from St. Mark i: 45.

At the close of the service the Council was called to order by Bishop Newton.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The following members appeared and took their seats: Rev. J. H. Hundley and Mr. Jno. Temple.

The chairman then read an invitation from the Ladies' Memorial Association of Fredericksburg to unite with them in observing memorial day to-morrow at 5:30 P. M.

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Bishop Whittle's address was then read by the Secretary:

MY DEAR BRETHREN:

Continued and increasing bodily infirmity has prevented me from making any regular visitations during the past year.

By the help of others, I have been able to carry on my correspondence, and attend to my duties at the Seminary, the Divinity School, etc., as usual.

I report the following visitations and confirmations:

1896, May 1—St. James', Leesburg, confirmed six.

May 3—Theological Seminary Chapel, eleven, of whom ten were students from the High School.

May 3—St. Paul's Chapel, Fairfax county, eight.

May 10—Pohick (one col.), five.

May 10—Olivet, one.

May 17—Emmanuel, Henrico, twenty.

June 25—Chapel Good Shepherd (col.), Theo. Seminary, two.

Oct. 18—St. James', Louisa, four.

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Dec. 6—Christ, Charlottesville, fourteen.

1897, March 28—St. Luke's, Richmond, nine.

April 11—St. James', Richmond, twenty-three.

April 16—St. James', Ashland, two.

April 25—St. John's, Richmond, ten.

On May 17, 1896, in St. John's Church, Richmond, I had the great satisfaction of setting apart Miss Mary E. Jones, for the office and work of a Deaconess, she being the first of this Order in the Diocese, for which by study and experience she was well qualified.

The service was most solemn and impressive.

I was aided by Bishop Newton, who preached the sermon, Rev. Dr. Powers, Rev. E. V. Jones, and Rev. R. A. Goodwin.

Miss Jones had been for the preceding year, and is still laboring in the congregation of St. John's Church, under the direction and as the assistant of the Rev. R. A. Goodwin.

I trust that before long, every city Rector in the Diocese may be provided with a like invaluable helper in his work.

June 16—I was at the meeting of the Trustees of The Bishop Payne Divinity and Industrial School.

June 22-26—I attended the various meetings connected with the closing exercises of the Seminary and High School.

POSTULANTS.

The following have been received as Postulants: William Page Dame, Charles Edwin Perkins, Philip A. Arthur, Henry J. Harrison, R. W. Wheat.

CANDIDATES FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS.

Willoughby N. Claybrook, Cassius Lee Price, James J. Chapman, James H. Cox, Charles E. Perkins, Benjamin J. Darneille.

Robert B. Nelson, a candidate for Priest's Orders, has been transferred to Maryland; Joseph A. Specht, to Washington; William T. Snead, Jr., to Nevada and Utah; R. S. Stringfellow, to Montana.

DEACONS ORDAINED.

1896, June 26. In Chapel Theological Seminary, William H. K. Pendleton, Joseph H. Gibbons.

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LETTERS DIMISSORY GIVEN.

Thomas D. Lewis, to Texas; S. O. Southall, to S. Virginia; Geo. C. Abbitt, to Lexington; W. W. Brander, and J. C. Gray, to Maryland; C. H. Lee, Jr., to S. Ohio; E. W. Cowling, to Ohio.

LETTERS DIMISSORY ACCEPTED.

J. W. Ware: F. A. Ridout; W. D. Smith; Edwin H. Green, from S. Virginia; Henry Wingate, from E. Carolina; W. P. Chisman, from W. Virginia; W. J. Morton, from Tennessee; Bishop C. C. Penick, from Kentucky.

CLERICAL CHANGES WITHIN THE DIOCESE.

Rev. William M. Clark has resigned St. George's, Fredericksburg, and become rector of St. James', Richmond. Rev. Charles S. Harrison has resigned Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock, and is succeeded by Rev. J. Howard Gibbons. Rev. Thomas E. Locke has resigned St. Anne's Parish, Albemarle. Rev. Hugh Martin has resigned Buck Mountain Church, and as assistant to the Rector of Christ Church, Charlottesville, and is Missionary in the city of Richmond. Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton is in charge of the Churches at Fairfax, C. H., and Manassas; Rev. C. L. Price, of the Churches in King William, and New Kent counties.

MINISTERS DECEASED.

After a long and useful life, Rev. Pike Powers, D. D., Rector of St. Andrew's Church, Richmond, died in that city on 20th of Feb., 1897, aged eighty three years and eleven months.

Dr. Powers was in many respects a remarkable man. He was not ordained until March 24, 1874, when he was made Deacon in Saint Paul's Church, Richmond. Not satisfied to remain in that order as he had proposed to do, he was admitted to Priest's Orders in the same Church, March 21, 1879.

The whole of his faithful and successful ministry, was spent as Rector of St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.

He was also a member, and Secretary of the Board of Trustees of The Bishop Payne Divinity and Industrial School, Secretary of the

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Diocesan Missionary Society, and of its Executive Committee, and Editor from the beginning of that most useful paper, *Our Diocesan Work*.

A lovely Christian character, of fine and cultivated intellect, a true preacher of the Gospel, and faithful to every trust, he now "rests from his labors," and his works do follow him.

LAY READERS LICENSED.

1896-97. G. P. Hodgson, St. John's, Fluvanna; H. H. Williams, St. Luke's Chapel, Albemarle; F. H. Moss, Leeds, Fauquier; Wm. Sanborn, St. Peter's, Caroline; Edmund R. Taylor, Ed. Lee Woodward, Robb White, Jr., Edmund J. Lee, Page Dame, Mason G. Ambler, and Robert Davis, Christ Church, Charlottesville; P. A. Arthur, St. Mark's, Richmond; G. A. Barksdale, G. H. Baskerville, St. Andrew's Richmond; Dr. C. B. Morton, Grace, Caroline.

SUMMARY.

Visitations	12
Confirmations (white 107, col. 3).....	110
Postulants	5
Admitted Candidates for Priest's Orders.....	6
Transferred	4
Present number.....	13
Deacons Ordained	2
Letters Dimissory Given	7
Letters Dimissory Accepted.....	8
Minister deceased ...	1
Lay Readers Licensed	15
Number of Churches and Chapels, White, 159, col. 5, total	164
Present number of ministers, White, 78, col., 2, total	80

I wish to direct the special attention of the Council to the Brotherhood.

This most admirable Association has accomplished great good, but its usefulness and even its existence, seem to be gradually drawing to a close.

Its receipts on the death of a minister of the Diocese have gradually fallen off, until the last collections have amounted to next to nothing.

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The trouble is, that its machinery extending as it does to every Church and Parish of the Diocese, is so extensive and complicated, that it is found to be impracticable to continue and keep it in motion. The corporators recently held a meeting and after a thorough discussion of the subject, requested me to suggest to the Council, the adoption of one of two alternatives. Either to reorganize the Brotherhood on a new and better basis, or to dissolve the organization, and add what money it has, to the fund for the relief of the widows and orphans of deceased clergymen.

I commend this important matter to the serious consideration of the Council.

BISHOP COADJUTOR NEWTON'S ADDRESS.

Bishop Newton then read his address:

*To the Rt. Rev. Bishop of the Diocese of
Virginia and to the Clergy and Laity:*

MY DEAR BRETHREN:

Once more in the goodness of God, we have met together to take counsel in regard to the things pertaining to His kingdom and its work in the Diocese of Virginia. With the warmest greetings of affection, I welcome you to this annual gathering in a church made memorable in the past by the earnest spirit shown, and the great good done in the religious exercises of the early Conventions of the Diocese. May some measure of that blessed spirit, by whose presence the fathers of the Church in Virginia were so constantly guided, fall on us here and direct and overrule all our consultations, to the advancement of His glory, and to the peace and prosperity of His Church and people.

The detailed report of my work during the past year is as follows:

May 3d, A. M.—At Monumental, Richmond, I preached and confirmed fifteen; P. M., I attended the opening service of the new St. Philip's Church, and made an address. This is a very pretty brick church, built upon the foundation of the old church, at a cost of about \$5,000. It has quite a large debt upon it, which the rector and people are struggling to pay off.

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May 5, P. M.—At Grace Church, Alexandria, preached and confirmed two.

May 6—Attended meeting of "Board of Trustees" of Theological Seminary.

May 7—Attended Board of Trustees of Virginia Female Institute, at Staunton.

May 10—Preached at St. Andrew's, Richmond, and confirmed five.

May 13—Attended meeting of the Trustees of the Funds of the Diocese. On the same day I confirmed in private one person for St. Andrew's, Richmond.

May 16—Confirmed one person in private for St. Mary's, Goochland.

May 17—At St. John's, Richmond, assisted the Bishop of the Diocese in service for setting apart a Deaconess, and preached the sermon.

May 20 to 23—In attendance upon the Council in Alexandria.

May 26—Conducted the funeral service of a member of St. James', Richmond, the church being then without a rector.

May 31—At Woodville, Rappahannock, preached and confirmed two. After service I confirmed one person in private.

June 1—At Washington, Rappahannock, preached and confirmed five.

June 2, P. M.—Preached at Charlottesville, and confirmed five. The service was in the Baptist Church, kindly loaned the rector by the people of that denomination.

June 7—At Holy Trinity, Richmond, I preached and confirmed five.

June 10—Assisted in a funeral at Monumental, Richmond.

June 14—Preached at Washington and Lee University, Lexington.

June 16—In Hanover, service prevented by storm.

June 17—At Church of Our Saviour, Hanover, preached and confirmed one.

June 18—At Fork, Hanover, preached and confirmed one.

June 19—At St. Martin's, Hanover, preached and confirmed one.

June 21—In absence of the rector, preached in the morning at

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Monumental, Richmond, and in the afternoon conducted the funeral service of one of the members of that congregation.

June 23—Attended meeting of Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary and High School.

June 25—At Arlington Mission, preached and confirmed eleven.

June 26, A. M.—Took part in the ordination services at the Seminary and advanced to the priesthood, Revs. Henry F. Kloman, Edward A. Temple, and G. Otis Mead. The sermon was preached by Rev. L. R. Mason, Revs. Grammer, Walker and Clark uniting in the laying on of hands. At night of the same day, after sermon by Rev. Mr. Gibbons, at Sharon Mission, I confirmed two.

June 27—I preached at Acquia, Stafford, and confirmed none.

June 28, A. M.—I consecrated Clifton Chapel, Stafford, preached, and confirmed three. Revs. J. C. Gray and H. F. Kloman assisted in the service. At night, I preached at Dumfries and confirmed twelve.

July 5, A. M.—At Christ Church, Albemarle, I preached and confirmed none. At night preached at Scottsville, and confirmed ten.

July 6—At Brems, I read service, preached, and confirmed one.

July 7—At Columbia, preached and confirmed one.

July 8—Heavy rain prevented the proposed service at St. Paul's, Goochland.

July 9—Preached at Grace, Goochland, and confirmed none.

July 10—Preached at All Saints, Goochland, and confirmed one.

July 19—In the absence of the Rector, read service and preached at Grace Church, Richmond.

July 26—Acting for Bishop Satterlee, I advanced to the priesthood at Ascension Church, Washington, D. C., Rev. T. W. Cook. The sermon was preached by Rev. J. H. Elliott, D. D., and he and the Revs. J. G. Ames and F. H. Bigelow joined in the imposition of hands. P. M., preached at Christ Church, Alexandria, and confirmed four, two of them for Grace Church.

August 2, A. M.—At Barboursville, I preached and confirmed three. In the afternoon, preached at Gordonsville, and confirmed two.

August 3—Confirmed in private, one.

August 9, A. M.—Consecrated St. Margaret's Chapel, Caroline,

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preached, administered Holy Communion, and confirmed six. P. M., I preached in the same chapel, on both occasions to large congregations. This is a neat chapel, seating about 240 persons, built by a few faithful people in that neighborhood, under the ministry of Rev. W. B. Williams, Deacon, of Richmond.

August 12—In Richmond, I officiated at the funeral of a member of St. James' Church.

August 14—Assisted in funeral service at St. Mark's, Richmond.

August 17—Baptised the child of a person about to move from the Diocese, and not connected with any congregation.

August 20—I preached and confirmed two, at Madison Court House.

August 21—At Rapidan, I preached, and confirmed four.

August 22—At All Saints, Culpeper, I preached, and confirmed four.

August 23, A. M.—At Culpeper Court House, preached, and confirmed ten. In the afternoon, I consecrated St. Mark's Chapel, preached, and confirmed four. Revs. E. L. Goodwin and Job Turner being present, the former assisting in the service. This neat Chapel has been built at Rixeyville, a point of interest in St. Mark's parish, at a small cost, and will prove, I doubt not, a most judicious arrangement for missionary work.

August 24—I preached at Brandy Station and confirmed two.

August 25—Preached at St. Paul's, Culpeper, and confirmed none.

August 26—Preached at Calvary, Culpeper, and confirmed none.

August 30, A. M.—I preached for the Rector of Christ Church, Richmond. In the afternoon, I confirmed a person at St. James', Richmond.

September 4—At Old Dominion Hospital, Richmond, I confirmed a sick man.

September 6, A. M.—At St. Paul's, Hanover, I preached, and confirmed one. P. M., I preached at Emmanuel, Hanover, and confirmed none.

September 10—I preached at Leeds, Fauquier, and confirmed three.

September 11—At Emmanuel, Fauquier, preached and confirmed two.

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September 12—At Marshall, I preached and confirmed two.

September 13, A. M.—I preached at "The Plains," and confirmed none. P. M., I preached at Whittle Chapel, and confirmed three.

September 14—I preached at Church of our Saviour, and confirmed five; and after service confirmed in private, one.

September 15, A. M.—Preached at Hay Market, and confirmed four. P. M., preached at the week night service of the Rector at Orange Court House.

September 16—I preached again at Orange Court House, and confirmed two.

September 27, A. M.—I preached at Round Hill and confirmed five. P. M., at Hamilton, preached, and confirmed two.

September 28—At Goresville, preached, and confirmed one.

September 29—At Leesburg, preached, and confirmed three.

September 30—I preached at Oatlands, and confirmed two.

October 1—At Aldie, preached, and confirmed two.

October 2—I preached at Grace Chapel, and confirmed none.

October 4, A. M.—I preached at Middleburg, and confirmed one. P. M., preached at Upperville, and confirmed five. The Church building at this point has been enlarged and improved since my last visit.

October 14, A. M.—At White Chapel, Lancaster, I preached and confirmed one. P. M., preached at Trinity and confirmed none.

October 15, A. M.—Preached at Grace, and confirmed one. P. M., Preached at Wicomico, Northumberland, and confirmed three.

October 16—I preached at Heathsville, and confirmed none.

October 17—At Emmanuel, Richmond county, preached, and confirmed three.

October 18, A. M.—Preached at Warsaw, and confirmed twelve. P. M., preached at St. Paul's Chapel, and confirmed three.

October 19, A. M.—I preached at Yeocomico, Westmoreland, and confirmed four. P. M., at Cople Chapel, preached, and confirmed six.

October 20—At Nomini, preached, and confirmed two.

October 21—At Montross, preached, and confirmed six.

November 1—At Scottsville, I preached, and confirmed three.

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November 4, A. M.—I read the service at Grace Church, Caroline, preached, and confirmed one. In the afternoon, it was my sad mission to read the burial service for the child of Rev. S. S. Ware, at Port Royal.

November 5—At Port Royal, after service by Rev. J. W. Ware, I preached, and confirmed one.

November 6—I preached at Vawter's, Essex, and confirmed none.

November 7—Preached at St. Matthew's and confirmed none.

November 8, A. M.—I preached at Tappahannock, and confirmed 8; and at night preached again in the same place.

November 9—I confirmed a sick person in private, and went on to St. Paul's, preached, and confirmed none.

November 10—At St. David's, Aylett, preached, and confirmed four.

November 11—I preached at Emmanuel, Hanover, and confirmed nine.

November 15—Morning and night, I preached for the Rector of St. Luke's Church, Norfolk.

November 18 to 21—I attended the Church Congress in Norfolk.

November 22, A. M.—At Abingdon, Gloucester, preached, and confirmed one. P. M., preached at Holy Innocents' Chapel, and confirmed none.

November 23—I preached at Ware, and confirmed five.

November 24—I preached at Trinity, Mathews, and confirmed none; at night, I preached to a large congregation in the Court House building.

November 25—I preached at Christ Church, Mathews, and confirmed four.

December 1, A. M.—After a sermon by Rev. S. A. Wallis, D. D., I consecrated "Church of the Good Shepherd," Fairfax, and confirmed two. This neat, comfortable, church, was erected in a community where it was much needed, mainly through the earnest efforts of Mrs. Upton Herbert a devoted member of our communion, who was taken to her rest a few days after this consecration service. "She rests from her labours, and her works do follow her."

December 1, P. M.—I preached at Fairfax Court House, and confirmed six.

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December 2—At Manassas, I preached, and confirmed nine.

December 3, A. M.—I preached at Remington, and confirmed three. P. M., at Brandy Station, I preached, and confirmed four.

December 6—At St. James', Richmond, I ordained to the Diaconate, Mr. Cassius Lee Price. The sermon was preached and the candidate presented by Rev. W. M. Clark.

December 9—I made an address at All Saints', Richmond, to 'The Daughters' of the King,' at their annual meeting.

December 13, A. M.—At St. Paul's Church, Goochland, I preached and confirmed two. This church had been closed for eight years, but was opened last Fall, by Rev. Martin Johnson, for service. I found a large, intelligent, and earnest congregation, with a prospect, under God's blessing, of great usefulness in the future.

December 13, P. M.—I preached at Goochland Courthouse and confirmed six.

December 20—At St. Philip's, Richmond, I preached and confirmed twelve.

December 25—I preached for the Rector of St. Paul's, Richmond.

1897, January 5—I addressed the Monumental Branch of "The Woman's Auxiliary."

January 10—I preached at Christ Church, Richmond, and confirmed three.

January 17—I preached for the Rector of Monumental, Richmond.

January 24—I preached for the Rector of all Saints', Richmond.

February 7—Administered Holy Communion and preached at St. Andrew's, Richmond, the Rector being ill.

February 13—Conducted funeral service at St. Paul's, Richmond.

February 14, A. M.—Preached at Weddell Memorial and confirmed none. P. M. Read service and preached at Barton Heights in absence of the Rector.

February 21—At St. Luke's Chapel, Richmond, preached and confirmed eight.

February 22—took part in the funeral service at St. Andrew's, Richmond, of its venerable and devoted Rector, Rev. Pike Powers, D. D.

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February 26—I confirmed a person at St. Paul's, Richmond, who was about to leave the city for protracted absence.

February 28—In Alexandria, I preached at St. Paul's in the morning and confirmed five; at Grace in the afternoon and confirmed eight; and at Christ Church at night and confirmed twelve.

March 1—At Herndon, I confirmed two persons in private, and at night preached in St. Timothy's Church and confirmed fourteen.

March 2, A. M.—I preached at Chantilly and confirmed none. P. M. Preached at Vienna Mission, in the Presbyterian Church, kindly loaned us, and confirmed one.

March 3, A. M.—At Langley, preached and confirmed none. P. M. Preached at Fall's Church and confirmed three.

March 7, A. M.—I preached at St. John's, Richmond, and confirmed twenty-seven. In the afternoon, preached at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd (for colored people) and confirmed three. At night, I presided at general meeting of Richmond Missionary Society at Holy Trinity, addressed by Rev. L. L. Kinsolving, of the the Brazil Mission.

March 8—At St. Paul's, Richmond, I presided at general meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, addressed by Bishop Talbot, of Wyoming and Idaho, and by Rev. L. L. Kinsolving.

March 9—I confirmed one person in private for St. Philip's, Richmond.

March 14—At Ivy, Albemarle, preached and confirmed four.

March 15—At St. John Baptist, preached and confirmed five.

March 16—At Grace, Albemarle, preached and confirmed two.

March 17—At St. John's, Louisa, preached and confirmed one.

March 21, A. M.—I preached at the Monumental, Richmond, and confirmed twenty. P. M. I preached at Holy Trinity and confirmed nineteen.

March 24—At Grace Church, Charles City, preached and confirmed none.

March 25—At Westover, preached and confirmed one.

March 26—At Mapsico, preached and confirmed none.

March 28—I preached at Grace Church, Richmond, and confirmed fifteen.

April 4, A. M.—At Harrisonburg, I preached and confirmed four, and at night preached for the rector.

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April 5, P. M.—Preached at Mt. Jackson, and confirmed none.

April 6—Preached at Woodstock, and confirmed none.

April 7, A. M.—Preached at Middletown, and confirmed three; P. M., I preached at the Wednesday night service for the rector of First Church, Winchester.

April 8, P. M.—I preached in the same church, and confirmed seven.

April 9, A. M.—In Berryville, I preached and confirmed five in church and one in private.

April 10, A. M.—At Wickliffe, I preached and confirmed none.

April 11, A. M.—I preached at Millwood, and confirmed nine, of them young men and boys; P. M., I preached at Boyce, and confirmed none.

April 12, A. M.—I preached at White Post, and confirmed twelve in the church and one in private. A very decided awakening of interest in things spiritual has taken place here since my last visit. At 11 o'clock on Monday morning the church was filled with an earnest and interested congregation.

April 13, A. M.—At Front Royal, preached and confirmed three.

April 14, P. M.—I preached at Luray, and confirmed none.

April 15, P. M.—I preached at Shenandoah, and confirmed one.

April 16, P. M.—At Lynnwood, preached and confirmed eight, and on the 17th confirmed one in private.

April 18th, P. M.—At All Saints', Richmond, I preached and confirmed fifteen, one of them for Holy Trinity. The rector announced collection on the morning of that Easter Day to have been \$600 for a new church building, now in contemplation.

April 21st—At St. Mark's, Richmond, I preached and confirmed fifteen.

April 23d—At Barton Heights, I preached and confirmed fifteen. In consequence of the illness of one of my sons, I was forced to withdraw other appointments for April.

SUMMARY.

Communications	128
Confirmed (white 541, colored 16)	557
Baptismal services	3
Sons ordained	5

 Brotherhood—Diocesan Library.

Churches consecrated.....	4
Other services.....	24

This brings my report of work to May 1, 1897. Since then I have confirmed a number of persons, and rendered other services, which will appear in the report for next year.

I believe that we have every reason to be devoutly thankful for the present condition of the Diocese, and to look most hopefully to the future.

I trust, at this meeting of the Council, the cause of Diocesan Missions will be fully and carefully discussed. Upon the full and faithful work of your Diocesan Missionary Society must depend, in large measure, the progress, if not the life, of our Church in Virginia. No other matter can occupy the time and thought of this Council of nearly so much importance, and it is to be hoped that you will give it your most prayerful consideration.

And now once more thanking my brethren, both clerical and lay, for all their kindness to me during my various ministrations, I devoutly commend them to "Him who loved us and gave Himself for us." If He "be for us, who can be against us?"

On motion of the Rev. J. R. Ellis, it was

Resolved, That so much of the Bishop's address as referred to the Brotherhood, be referred to the Standing Committee on the Brotherhood, to report to this Council.

On motion of Mr. Jno. T. Harris, Jr., it was

Resolved, That a committee composed of three clergy and three laity be appointed by the Bishop to report to the next Council a plan for a Diocesan Library for the use of the clergy of the Diocese.

The Bishop appointed the following as the committee: Revs. O. M. Yerger, N. P. Dame, James Grammer, D. D., Messrs. Jno. T. Harris, Jr., Albert Baker, R. Powell Page.

STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE.

The election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese being

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then in order, the Rev. B. M. Randolph moved that the Secretary of the Council be authorized to cast the vote of the Council for the Committee of last year, which motion being carried, the following gentlemen being nominated and there being no other nominations they were elected as the Standing Committee of the Diocese for the ensuing year:

Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D.,	Mr. L. M. Blackford,
“ P. P. Phillips,	Col. Arthur Herbert,
“ Berryman Green,	Mr. John R. Zimmerman.

ELECTION OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF D. M. SOCIETY.

The Rev. N. P. Dame moved that the following be the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society for the ensuing year:

Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle,
Rt. Rev. John B. Newton,

Rev. R. A. Goodwin,	Mr. Wm. F. Gray,
“ L. R. Mason,	“ J. L. Williams,
“ H. Carmichael,	“ Jos. Bryan,
“ W. M. Clark,	“ Thos. Potts,
“ B. M. Randolph,	“ G. G. Minor,
“ Preston Nash,	“ F. D. Beveridge,
“ J. Y. Downman,	“ B. R. Wellford,
“ J. J. Gravatt,	Dr. J. R. Wheat.
“ W. D. Smith,	

The order of the day was then taken up, being the report of the Secretary of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, which report was then read at the request of Council by the Rev. Mr. Nash.

The Rev. J. R. Ellis moved that after the expiration of ninety days the office of the Evangelist in this Diocese be dispensed with.

Resolutions were then offered as substitutes by Messrs. John G. Williams, B. B. Munford, and Rosewell Page, which were afterwards withdrawn.

The Council then adjourned until 3:30.

 Report of Committee on Parochial Reports.

THURSDAY 3:30 P. M.

The Council re-assembled.

The Secretary then read the telegrams from the Secretary of the Conventions of the Dioceses of Washington and Maryland, reciprocating the greeting of the Council of Virginia sent to them yesterday.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

The Rev. J. J. Clopton, Chairman of the Committee on Parochial Reports, then read his report:

From the sixty parishes and 164 churches and chapels in the Diocese, your Committee have received 107 reports. These reports are drawn up more accurately and more legibly than has ever occurred before in the memory of your Committee. Many reports, however, were kept back till Thursday morning, instead of being sent to the Bishop before or at the opening of the Council, thus delaying greatly the work of your Committee.

Your Committee would recommend that in future the Secretary send out two blank report forms to each church, so that in case of error in filling up, the second form can be used and an uncorrected report sent in to the Committee. The unused forms, if any, should be returned with the one filled up, so that but little expense would be incurred.

Your Committee present the following summary:

SUMMARY.

Baptisms—Adults, white, 245; colored, 57. Total.....	302
Infants, white, 463; colored 8. Total.....	471
Grand total.....	773
Confirmations—White, 618; colored, 17. Total.....	635
Confirmations—Reported by the Bishops.....	667
Communicants—White, 10,262; colored, 135. Total.....	10,397
Marriages—White, 172; colored, 19. Total.....	191
Funerals—White, 475; colored, 16. Total.....	491
Sunday-schools—White, teachers, 903; scholars, 6,900. Total..	7,803
Colored, teachers, 32; scholars, 473. Total..	505
Grand Total.....	8,308

 Report of Committee on New Parishes.

Sunday-schools—Contributions	\$3,659.57
Sunday-schools—Number of catechisings	423
Sunday-schools—Number of scholars confirmed.....	194
Parochial schools—Paid teachers, 3; scholars, 51. Total.....	54
Members of the Brotherhood.....	187
Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew....	313
Members of the Woman's Auxiliary.....	1,364
Total Contributions.....	\$160,360 42

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NEW PARISHES.

The Rev. Dr. Carmichael, Chairman of the Committee on New Parishes, reported, as follows:

The Committee on New Parishes beg to report that they recommend the Council to grant the petition of St. Mark's Parish, Culpeper, asking for an alteration of boundaries.

HARTLEY CARMICHAEL,
EDWARD A. TEMPLE,
JOHN M. TAYLOR.

On motion it was made the order of the day for to-morrow afternoon.

Major R. T. Scott then offered the following as a substitute for Rev. J. R. Ellis' motion:

Resolved, That the office of Evangelist of this Diocese be continued at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

Mr. Mackreth moved to strike out the amount named for the salary, which amendment was accepted.

The hour for adjournment having arrived the Council determined to extend the time till six o'clock.

The pending question was then called for, and Major Scott's motion was voted on by orders, and by ayes and noes. The resolution was lost by the following vote:

Office of Evangelist—Vote by Orders.

CLERGY.

Ayes—Bishop Whittle, Revs. Hartley Carmichael, Wm. M. Clark, John C. Cornick, Angus Crawford, D. C. T. Davis, R. A. Goodwin, E. V. Jones, J. C. Jones, H. F. Kloman, H. B. Lee, H. M. Martin, L. R. Mason, John McNabb, Preston Nash, J. J. Norwood, C. L. Price, B. M. Randolph, S. A. Wallis—19.

Noes—Bishop Newton, Revs. E. B. Burwell, W. P. Chrisman, J. J. Clopton, P. LeB. Cross, N. P. Dame, J. Y. Downman, J. R. Ellis, E. L. Goodwin, James Grammer, Carl E. Grammer, J. J. Gravatt, Berryman Green, John S. Hansbrough, S. S. Hepburn, E. S. Hinks, J. H. Hundley, J. D. LaMothe, John McGill, G. O. Mead, W. J. Morton, G. W. Nelson, Carter Page, W. H. K. Pendleton, G. S. Sommerville, F. S. Stickney, P. D. Thompson, Cornelius Walker, J. W. Ware, S. S. Ware, Henry Wingate—31.

LAITY.

Ayes—Messrs. Robert Beverly, Murray Boocock, Cyrus Bossieux, E. C. Cary, W. R. Crabbe, S. G. Fairbanks, E. C. Harrison, James B. Machen, Robert Mackreth, John E. Mason, Powhatan Moncure, Travers D. Moncure, B. B. Munford, R. W. Nelson, N. B. Noland, R. P. Page, Rosewell Page, R. T. Scott, John M. Taylor, F. A. P. Thornton, Geo. G. Tyler, R. C. Wellford, H. C. Wilkins, John G. Williams, Charles Woolnough—25.

Noes—W. A. Ashby, Albert Baker, George A. Barksdale, Jos. Bryan, H. O. Clagett, John J. Cochraine, F. M. Eastman, T. M. Lewis, W. C. Marshall, P. H. Mayo, Edgar McCray, Powhatan Moncure, Jr., W. P. Moncure, J. S. Moore, J. D. Pendleton, Thos. Potts, E. J. Smith, T. E. Williams, J. R. Zimmerman—19.

Rev. J. R. Ellis then moved to amend his motion to extend the time for employing the Evangelist to October 1.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved that the office of the Evangelist cease the 30th of April, 1898.

This amendment was accepted.

Mr. J. R. Ellis' motion as amended, which reads as follows, was then adopted:

Resolved, That the office of Evangelist of this Diocese be dispensed with after April 30, 1898.

Charter of the Theological Seminary, &c.

Mr. Joseph Bryan moved that the matter in reference to the charter of Theological Seminary and Episcopal High School be reconsidered.

Carried.

He then offered the following, being the resolution of yesterday, with the words "at this time" stricken out, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council deems it inexpedient to take any action to secure the amendment of the Act of Incorporation of the Trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary and High School in Virginia, passed February 20, 1854.

Mr. B. B. Munford then moved that the report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia be made the order of the day at 10:30 A. M. to-morrow.

The Council then adjourned till 8 P. M.

THURSDAY 8 P. M.

The Council re-assembled for the service in the interest of Foreign Missions.

Addresses were made by the Rev. J. T. Cole, the Rev. J. C. Ambler, and the Rev. L. L. Kinsolving.

An offering for Foreign Missions was then taken.

Adjourned to meet Friday at 9:30 A. M.

Resolutions on the D. M. Society.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, FREDERICKSBURG, VA.,
FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1897, 9:30 A. M.

The Council met for Divine worship.

The sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. Carmichael from Job, ch. i: 6 v. to end.

After service Bishop Newton called the Council to order.

The Secretary read the minutes which, after correction, were approved.

The report of the Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Society, being the order of the day, was then taken up.

Mr. B. B. Munford offered the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That this Council declares its unfailing interest in the Diocesan Missionary Society and pledges its membership, clerical and lay, to the support of the great work which it has in hand. Despite the financial depression which afflicts our country, we call upon the people to increase rather than diminish their offerings to this object.

Resolved further, That the roll of churches be called, and that the delegates, clerical and lay, from each church be requested to indicate as near as possible the amount that they, the delegates, will seek to secure from their respective churches for the cause of Diocesan Missions, including offerings from the children and the Sunday-schools, for the ensuing fiscal year. Where any church is not represented by delegates, clerical or lay, present in the Council, or where the delegates present are not prepared to indicate the amount which they will seek to secure from their respective churches, the said churches are requested to report to the Secretary of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, within sixty days, the amount which they will seek to raise for this object.

The roll of the churches was then called, and the amount pledged was \$4,103.57.

REPORT OF THE PRAYER-BOOK DISTRIBUTION SOCIETY.

The Rev. H. B. Lee read the report of the Prayer-Book Distribu-

Report of the Prayer-Book Distribution Society

tion Society, with two resolutions attached, which being put to the Council were carried.

Your Committee on The Virginia Prayer-Book Distribution Society have little of detail to report. This society was organized at the Council held in Alexandria in 1896. Its present officers: Rt. Rev. J. B. Newton, President, Rev. Preston Nash, Secretary, F. D. Beveridge, Treasurer.

Its object was to distribute among the people and in mission fields the Prayer-Book—that incomparable help to decorous and intelligent worship of Almighty God. The demands for this book have steadily increased, showing conclusively that old-time prejudice is fast yielding to the influence of education, and that the Christly, conservative attitude of the Church is winning for her the admiration and support of the masses of the people. The doors of our Church are opening wider every day, and the invitation to enter is couched in no language that can be misconstrued as exclusive or restrictive. Her Liturgy, once a barrier to ignorance, is now a grateful means of grace to almost universal education; and the firm foundation of her faith, as epitomised in services, is appealing to minds unsettled by uncertainties and abstractions.

We meet the call for the preached word by sending our missionaries throughout our Diocese; theirs is the voice heard but too seldom by the many among the people; we should supplement their work by sending the SILENT EVANGELIST into every home where there is ready welcome, where there are minds and hearts receptive for truth attractive and without error.

The Prayer-Book Distribution Society have had many requests for books, but from lack of funds have not been able to extend its help to all. As far as possible its distribution is entirely free. There is in the treasury \$30, and there are applications for more books than this sum will purchase. We appeal to the Church to make contributions to this society, that its work, recognized as important, may be done well. Applications for Prayer-Books should be made to Rev. Preston Nash, Secretary. Contributions should be sent to Mr. Frank D. Beveridge, Treasurer. P. O. address of both, Richmond, Va.

We recommend that in order that the existence and object of the society may be more generally known, the secretary call attention from time to time to its work and needs in "Our Diocesan Work" and the "Southern Churchman."

We call the attention of the Executive Committee to a resolution empowering them to nominate a general agent for the society, and request them to take such action in the matter as in their judgment may be best.

H. B. LEE,
PRESTON NASH,
ROSEWELL PAGE.

Report of Committee on Sunday-Schools.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

The Rev. J. J. Gravatt, chairman of the Committee on Sunday-Schools, read the report and resolution, which was adopted:

Your Committee would report, with great pleasure, the improvement in the work of the Sunday-school. In 1896 there were 7,345 teachers and scholars; in 1897, 8,308. The number of catechisings has increased from 337 to 423, showing a greater interest on the part of Rectors in the Sunday-school. The number of scholars confirmed has grown from 152 to 194, indicating that teachers are realizing more and more that their work is to bring the children to Christ and to full communion with His Church. The contributions are less than last year, but this, we believe, is due to the stringency of the times. In 1896 they amounted to \$4,323.30; in 1897, to \$3,659.57.

We must regard the Sunday-school not as a theory, but as a condition. If all children were baptized in the Church, and all parents and sponsors performed their duties, there would be no need of the Sunday-school. But such is not the case; and since the Sunday-school is a fixed institution in Christian work, we must, if we are going to do our work and meet the demands of the day, be more aggressive in our Sunday-school work. We must infuse more life into it, and emphasize more and more its importance. It should be made so efficient that the grown people may be constrained to take greater interest in it. Your Committee feel that the lack of this interest has, in the past, been a weakness. The teachers should realize the sacredness and blessedness of this work, that it is not simply to hear lessons from leaflets, but to inspire the scholar with greater love for the word of God and to win them for Christ. To this end the teachers themselves should earnestly and prayerfully prepare their lessons, and where possible, the Rector should instruct them, or Sunday-school Institutes should, from time to time, be held, where model instruction could be given.

Your Committee would deprecate the disappearance of the Bible from the Sunday-school. No leaflet can take the place of the Book. Each child should have his own copy of the Bible for reference.

The Bible classes for grown people are attracting more attention. An earnest effort should be made to hold our young men and women in these classes. The Church ought to support the Sunday-school, and the school ought not to give its offerings, or all of its offerings, to itself. Your Committee would suggest, that at least on one Sunday in each month the collection be devoted to missions.

Your Committee would recommend that in place of the so-called Sunday-school liturgy, the Collects and other parts of the Prayer-Book and the hymns of the Church Hymnal, with bright tunes, be used, that the children may become familiar with the liturgy and hymns which they are to use through life.

Report of Committee on :tate of the Church.

The Sunday-school can in no way take the place of the Church, and the children should be lovingly urged by parents and teachers to attend regular services and "to hear sermons," as the baptismal office directs. Parents require their children to attend secular schools during the week, and they go for long hours, but where parents do not show the same interest in the instruction of the Church for an hour or so on Sunday, children soon see it, and rebel or absent themselves. In the cities, or where they may be held, occasional joint-services of the different Episcopal Churches will be most stimulating and helpful.

In conclusion, your Committee would beg the Council to give the weight of its influence to this most vitally important cause, and would ask the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That an Executive Committee on Sunday-schools be elected by the Council, which shall be a center for correspondence, which may provide Sunday-school Institutes, when desired, in different parts of the Diocese, and may, in the future, if practicable, have a depository for Sunday-school literature.

J. J. GRAVATT,
E. L. GOODWIN,
H. C. WILKINS,
N. B. NOLAND,
F. M. EASTMAN,
Committee.

The Bishop appointed the following as the Executive Committee of Sunday-schools: Revs. Preston Nash, W. D. Smith, Berryman Green, Mr. Thos. Potts, and Prof. — Stone.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The report of the Committee on the State of the Church was read by Rev. Jno. McGill:

At the close of another year of church life, a year falling under the lengthening shadows of this nineteenth century's setting sun; a period, which for depression in business, for unrest among the people, has never, in our country, been surpassed, if, indeed, ever before equaled; a period marked by a drifting away by numbers of men from the great verities of the Christian faith; at the close of this year your committee is asked to consider and report to you the state of the Church.

The mention of the Church brings before us the beloved bishops, the faithful clergy, the devoted laymen and laywomen of the Diocese; the large city congregations and the smaller gatherings in our village and country churches;

Report of Committee on State of the Church.

our Sunday-schools, the many societies of the Church, our Seminary, our schools for young men and maidens, and above all the *homes* of our people, which are the training schools of the race. And what scenes of toil and conflict, of sacrifice and suffering, yet of pure joy and splendid triumph, present themselves as the Church militant thus passes in review before the mind.

We miss from the ranks of the clergy at this gathering two noble veterans of the cross of Christ, Rev. Dr. Powers and Rev. Thomas E. Locke, the latter having never missed a Council in sixty years. They are now reaping their reward. Let the new recruits fill up the breach and follow in the footsteps of these devoted servants of God.

And as we come to view more closely these workmen and their labors, we find encouragement in the reports brought before us by our bishops and by our clergy as well; the number confirmed, the report from the Sunday-schools, the Auxiliary, the gifts from our congregations (these latter exceeding the contributions of last year by \$21,000), all alike furnish ground for praise and thanksgiving. We find that the long-standing prejudice against our Church is fast becoming a thing of the past; we find old churches, dating, some of them, to 1665, and twice rebuilt, looking up again with hope of a brighter future, than in many a year past.

We find with devout gratitude that amid the dreadful financial stress through which we are struggling, the constancy and spirituality of our membership is manifest, shown by the sacrifices they make for the sake of our Blessed Master's kingdom on the earth. And yet, your committee, while profoundly grateful for these tokens of God's favor and blessing which rest upon us, feel constrained to call attention to certain points vital to the prosperity of the Church. We mention first *the Sunday-school work*. Well has the Sunday-school been called the nursery of the Church. Through our Sunday-schools the children are won for Christ; from our Sunday-schools are to come our future teachers, preachers and toilers in Christ's vineyard. How necessary to keep the Sunday-schools on a high plane? To this end, how desirable that the teachers of the Sunday-school be trained? trained by the Rector or by some consecrated man or woman under the Rector? We have trained nurses, that they may intelligently minister to men's bodies; should not those be trained who minister about spiritual things to our children? Again we urge the importance of teaching and filling the mind of the young with the pure word of God. Let every parent see to it that a well-bound Bible with good print be given each child to be kept all its life, in which all the notes and studies of the years as they go by may be preserved; and let this Bible be carried to the Sunday-school by the child. We feel assured that nothing can so stimulate and perpetuate the interest in the Sunday-school as the faithful study of God's word; and we rejoice to know that Bible-classes for half-grown boys and girls, grown people, even fathers and mothers, are springing up in our Diocese.

Report of Committee on State of the Church.

We mention next the Diocesan Missionary Society. We notice with regret the seeming decrease of interest in this society, and yet never before in the history of our Church has there been a better opportunity for the extension of our Church than we find to-day. Our scriptural doctrines, our conservatism, the beauty and dignity and spirituality which pervade our Liturgy, are better known and appreciated to-day than ever before. Our Church is more active in doing her Christ-given work among the poor and suffering, stretching out her hands, guided by the Holy Ghost, and is taking to her embrace all classes and conditions of men, because all alike are the purchase of our Blessed Lord's blood, and consequently our Church is welcomed, where, but a little while ago, she was looked upon with suspicion; and this work is largely due to the Diocesan Missionary Society. And yet this society has not been upheld as in years past. Six dollars additional from each congregation in the Diocese would have saved us from the depressing effect of this seeming decrease of interest in this society, the pride of the Diocese in years gone by.

The remedy for this is found in our obeying God. If each communicant would lay aside on the first day of each week as the Lord hath prospered him, there would be no question then as to the means with which to carry on the Lord's work; the question would rather be as to the employment of the superabundance.

And now we come to consider the most important feature of the Church's work—The *homes* of our people. If vital religion is declining among us, it is largely due to the home training. It is to be feared that but a small proportion of our homes possess a family altar; and yet nothing can be more helpful than the daily reading of God's word and the invoking the Divine blessing upon the household about that altar, and nothing can more impress the children and lead them to appreciate their dependence upon God. Nothing better calculated to win them to Christ. And yet many parents are withholding from those dependent upon them this means of grace. We would ask this question: "Are we doing in this regard for our children what our parents did for us?" And again, touching the attendance of the children upon Sunday-school and Divine service: In how many instances are children allowed to remain at home or return home at the close of the Sunday-school? How often whole families are found on the Lord's day occupied with the Sunday paper—the father with its politics or trade, the mother with the fashion or gossip column, the girls with the stories, the boys with the sporting news, the little ones with the pictures, evil in their effect upon the young mind. The afternoons are devoted often to amusements, the evenings to foolish talking or jesting or to visiting. The Christian Sunday of our forefathers is fast disappearing—due, we are sure, to home training. In the home children are to be trained in religion. The father and mother are to be the teachers; and while it is true that this teaching should be a *daily* process, yet especially should Sunday be devoted by parents to the instruction of their children in their

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duty towards God and man. There are but fifty-two of them in each year only a very few years are children under the parental roof; how prayerfully and jealously should those precious hours be guarded and employed.

In conclusion we need all alike to ever bear in mind that "God, the Holy Ghost," "the Promise of the Father," sent of Christ to take His place in the world, is ready to take up His abode in man. Ready to make His people temples for His indwelling; that God is more willing to give His Holy Spirit than men to give good things to their children. And let us know and well consider that without the presence and power of the Blessed Spirit man's activities must prove comparatively fruitless. And we need to further remember that Christ could use His disciples in so far only as they submitted themselves to Him, and thus to-day in so far as men yield themselves to the Holy Spirit, insofar can the Holy Ghost use them in His great work on earth. If we covet usefulness in Christ's kingdom, it can only be attained through the Holy Ghost, and the Holy Ghost is given by God to them *that obey Him*.

JOHN MCGILL,
H. B. LEE,
R. A. GOODWIN,
THOMAS POTTS,
W. R. CRABBE,
C. E. CARY.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CLERICAL SUPPORT.

The report of the Committee on Clerical Support was read by Mr. Jno. G. Williams.

The Committee on Clerical Support respectfully report that the treasurers of ninety-three churches and parishes have returned reports. Of this number eighty-seven report their pastor's salaries paid in full, while only six are in arrears. The arrearages amount to only \$161.05, while seven churches have paid more than they promised, aggregating \$79.09. Of those reported in arrears one during the year paid \$33, on account of previous deficit. The Church is to be congratulated upon this fine showing in a year of great depression, and the Diocese should be thankful and filled with renewed hope for the future.

JOHN G. WILLIAMS,
P. H. MAYO,
E. C. HARRISON,
R. CARTER WELLFORD,
H. O. CLAGETT.

REPORT ON THE EPISCOPAL FUND.

Rev. J. Y. Downman read the report on the Episcopal Fund.

 Report on the Episcopal Fund.

The report of Committee upon Episcopal Fund shows that the only papers laid before it consist of a statement of C. C. Baughman, Treasurer of such fund, with the statement of the Auditing Committee, showing that they had examined the said statement and found the same correct, and a voucher showing the expenditure of \$570 for the purchase \$1,000 3% Virginia Bond at \$57. This statement shows that the Episcopal Fund has \$6,400 of invested funds, including the Virginia 3's just mentioned. That \$500 of the invested funds have been redeemed during the year. That in addition to the said amount of invested funds there is in hand with the treasurer the sum of \$798.99, as against \$597.05 on the 1st of May, 1896. It appears that the only expense-account paid during the year was \$25, paid Virginia Trust Company for care of securities of the fund; that the amount of interest collected through the year amounted to \$296.94.

Your Committee desires to say that this report is made up only from the data above mentioned, and that the standing of the Treasurer and of the Auditing Committee is the guarantee for the accuracy of the account.

It appears that this fund owns the following securities, which are held by the Virginia Trust Company:

Va. Mid. R. R., 2d series, 6% bond.....	\$ 200
Va. Mid. R. R., 3d, series, 6% bond	100
Va. Mid. R. R., 5th series, 5% bond ..	1,000
Char. & R. R. R. 1st mortgage 5% bond	1,500
City of Alexandria 3.65% bond.	1,600
Virginia 3%	1,000
Virginia Century.....	1,000
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	\$6,400

Respectfully submitted

J. Y. DOWNMAN,
ROSEWELL PAGE.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The report of the Finance Committee was read by Mr. Joseph Bryan which, with the resolutions thereto attached, was adopted:

The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of Mr. Robert S. Chamberlayne, Treasurer, and have found them well and accurately stated, and his disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

They find that the payments by the respective parishes on account of the Contingent Fund for the year ending May 15, 1897, when the Treasurer closed his accounts amounted to \$7,521.36 or only \$6.86 less than the amount reported at the last Council, which was \$442.22 more than the amount reported at the preceding Council.

Under all the circumstances of financial depression and distress, your Com-

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mittee feel that our Churchmen have done well, but the Diocese has been saved from a deficit only by the liberality of our Bishop, who out of his salary has contributed \$500, to meet the current expenses of the Diocese.

For the sake of comparison, your Committee have stated in juxtaposition, the main items of receipts and disbursements for the years 1896 and 1897.

They are as follows:

RECEIPTS.

	1896.	1897.
From Contingent Fund.....	\$7,582 22	\$7,521 36
Interest on Balances in Bank.....	50 41	68 61
Total ordinary Receipts.....	\$7,632 63	\$7,589 97
Dividend on 29 shares Southern Railway Preferred Stock.....		29
Contributed by Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle from his salary.....		500
Brought forward from previous year.....		695 95
Total receipts.....		\$8,815 92

DISBURSEMENTS—ORDINARY.

	1896.	1897.
Salaries of two Bishops.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Traveling Expenses two Bishops.....	206 37	212 77
Rent residence Bishop Coadjutor.....	600 00	600 00
Salary and Expenses Secretary.....	210 00	210 00
Compensation Asst. Secretary.....	25 00	25 00
Salaries and Expenses Examining Chaplains..... (3)	321 90	(2) 216 99
Printing and distributing Journal.....	448 00	431 00
Printing Parish Reports.....		3 50
Stationary, Secretary.....	49 52	12 80
Stamps for Treasurer.....		2 92
Sexton at Council.....	15 00	15 00
Total Ordinary Expenses.....		\$7,838 63

EXTRAORDINARY.

Repairs of Bishop's Residence.....	191 95
Iron safe for preservation of records and papers Standing Committee.....	38 75
Express on books from Secretary of the General Convention..	1 00
	\$8,070 33
Balance on hand in City Bank.....	745 59
	\$8,815 92

Report of the Finance Committee.

From these statements it will be seen that the ordinary expenses of the Diocese exceeded its ordinary receipts by \$248.76, besides which, \$231.60 were spent upon subjects of peremptory importance, though of extraordinary character. The balance, which was brought forward from the previous year, and the generosity of our Bishop, have enabled us to meet these expenses and have a surplus on hand of \$745.59. It should be remembered, however, that next year the General Convention again assembles, and the expenses incident thereto will have to be met, and we have now no resource other than the collections from the Contingent Fund from which we can draw, except twenty-nine shares of Southern Railway preferred stock, worth now about \$700. It will be very necessary that the collection of the Contingent Fund for the coming year be as full as possible, and your Committee are led to hope that with an increasing number of communicants and propitious seasons and improved business conditions, this Diocese may not become either a delinquent or a borrower to meet its proper dues.

Your Committee again call attention to the rigid economy with which our diocesan affairs are conducted. In the matter of their travelling expenses our Bishops have set an example of simplicity and economy which can hardly be surpassed, if equalled, and this precision and care is found in every particular of the disbursements.

Your Committee recommend the payment of rent for the residence of the Bishop Coadjutor, not to exceed \$600 per annum. That the Treasurer be paid \$100, and that his annual compensation be fixed at that sum, until changed by action of the Council. That the Assistant-Secretary be paid \$25 for his services, and that that sum be allowed him annually hereafter until changed by the Council. That the Secretary be authorized to print and distribute 1,000 copies of the Journal of this Council, the expense thereof to be paid by the Treasurer. That the sexton of St. George's church be paid \$15 by the Treasurer.

JOSEPH BRYAN,
R. POWELL PAGE,
JOSEPH WILMER,
W. S. BARTON.

Fredericksburg, May 21st, 1889.

Mr. L. M. Blackford read the report of the Committee on the Brotherhood, to which were attached three resolutions.

Adjourned to meet at 3:30 P. M.

Report of the Committee on New Parishes.

FRIDAY, 3:30 P. M.

The Council was called to order by Bishop Newton.

On motion, the Rev. W. S. Campbell, Secretary of the Virginia Bible Society, was allowed a few moments to speak to the Council on the subject of his work.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NEW PARISHES.

The special order of the day—being the report of the Committee on New Parishes—was then taken up and the petition in regard to parish lines in Culpeper county was granted.

The Committee on New Parishes beg to report that they recommend the Council to grant the petition of St. Mark's Parish, Culpeper county, asking for an alteration of boundaries.

HARTLEY CARMICHAEL, *Chairman*,
EDWARD A. TEMPLE,
JOHN M. TAYLOR.

A PETITION.

To the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

Whereas, The present boundary lines between St. Mark's Parish and Ridley Parish, both in Culpeper county, Virginia, are ill-defined and hardly to be traced, and do not properly or conveniently divide the territory embracing the congregations and fields of work of these Parishes respectively. The Vestries of the said Parishes do unite in this, their petition to the Council to alter, fix, and determine the boundary lines between St. Mark's Parish and Ridley Parish, so that they shall run as follows:

Beginning at the corner of Slaughter Parish, on the Orange and Culpeper road, thence by said road to Fairview Schoolhouse, thence by the old Buck-run road to its intersection with the old Fredericksburg road, about two miles south of the Courthouse, thence by the old Fredericksburg road to the cross-roads near the western base of Mount Poney, thence by an air line to the top of Mount Poney, thence by an air line to the railroad crossing at Inlet Station, thence northerly by a new county road to its intersection with the Chestnut Fork and Brandy road, thence by an air line to the bridge on the Warrenton road, over Muddy Run, thence with Muddy Run to Hazel river, thence with Hazel river to the Rappahannock river.

Report of Committees on Diocesan Missions and Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

At a meeting of the Vestry of St. Mark's Parish, held April 6, 1897, the foregoing petition was adopted and ordered to be presented to the Council.

E. L. GOODWIN, *Rector*.

EPPA RIXEV, *Registrar*.

At a meeting of the Vestry of Ridley Parish the above petition was confirmed and adopted.

CARTER PAGE, *Rector*.

T. G. TATE, *Registrar*.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

The Rev. J. W. Ware made the report of the Committee on Diocesan Missions.

The Committee on Diocesan Missions respectfully submit that they have examined the account of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society. They find that the accounts are correct.

J. W. WARE,
A. B. CHINN,
J. S. MOORE,
EDGAR MCCRAY.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Rev. J. R. Ellis read the report of Committee on the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

*To the Bishops, Clergy and Laity in Council assembled
at Fredericksburg, Va., May 22, 1897:*

Your committee, to whom was committed the report of E. B. Addison, Treasurer of the Fund of the Society for the Relief of the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen of the Diocese of Virginia, beg leave to report that they find the report correct, being sustained by proper vouchers of those now on the list.

We would suggest, however, that the treasurer should be more accurate in naming the beneficiaries, and that the list of such beneficiaries be more closely scanned by those having the authority to do so, and that those not entitled to assistance from the fund be stricken from the list. We find one, at least, not so entitled, but not knowing our power and authority in the premises, deem it best to content ourselves with calling attention to the matter.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. ELLIS, *Chairman*.
JOHN TEMPLE.

Report of Committees on the Bruce and Disabled Clergy Funds.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE BRUCE FUND.

The Rev. S. S. Hepburn presented the report of the Committee on the Bruce Fund.

Your committee on the Bruce Fund beg leave to report that having examined the papers bearing upon the investments and disbursements of proceeds from that fund, they are found to be correct and accompanied by proper vouchers.

S. S. HEPBURN, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

The report of the Committee on the Disabled Clergy Fund was then presented.

The Committee on the Disabled Clergy Fund beg to report that they have examined the account of the Treasurer of the Society, and find it correct and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

PARNELL LEB. CROSS,
W. P. MONCURE,
Committee.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE BROTHERHOOD.

Mr. Blackford's report, with the resolutions attached, was then taken up and adopted.

The Committee on the Brotherhood beg leave to submit the following report:

During the year ending May 1, there has been but one death among the clerical beneficiaries of the Brotherhood, the Rev. Pike Powers, D. D., on whose account collections thus far are less than \$100. The Treasurer reports invested funds in his hands—two Manchester six per cent. bonds, of \$500 each, and \$788 81 on interest in the Citizens' Bank of Richmond. Since the division of the Diocese, one death annually seems the average in the Diocese of Virginia.

For some years past, *i. e.*, since the resignation of Mr. D. N. Walker, the Brotherhood has been without a President and its interests have suffered accordingly. It has had no head, vacancies occurring among the corporators, have not been filled, and the existing organization has not had a fair chance. That organization, though perhaps not the best possible, does not seem to your committee one which needs to be modified, nor one which may not be again made to work well. We therefore recommend no change. The

Report of Committee on Brotherhood.

Brotherhood has done great good in the past, and though it is unlikely now that the Diocese is smaller, soon to yield to its beneficiaries as much as it did in earlier years, it is capable, under energetic management, of doing far more than it has done since 1890. Your committee therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

1. That the Board of Trustees be requested as soon as possible to fill the vacancies existing in their number, and to designate a President, Secretary, and Treasurer of the Brotherhood.

2. That immediately after such organization, the Secretary be requested to solicit of the senior warden or vestry of each parish, the nomination of a suitable person as agent of the Brotherhood, to be confirmed as such by the Trustees or President; or, in default of such recommendation, to make such nomination upon his own information.

3. That a statement of the history, character, and aims of the Brotherhood be prepared, and that the Bishop be requested, if he approve the action above mentioned, to send this report to every clergyman of the Diocese, with a request that he read it, together with this statement, to his congregation; it being understood that the printing and distribution of the same be done by the Secretary of the Brotherhood.

Respectfully submitted,

L. M. BLACKFORD,
JAMES C. LAMB,
BEVERLEY B. MUNFORD.

Rev. B. M. Randolph then offered the following:

Resolved, That we recommend Mr. L. M. Blackford, Judge J. C. Lamb, and Mr. B. B. Munford to the Board of Corporators of the Brotherhood for membership.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAY REPRESENTATION.

Mr. Jno. M. Taylor, from a committee appointed at the last Council to consider a new plan for Lay representation, read his report.

The undersigned Committee, appointed by the last Council to consider "Whether, in their opinion, some more equitable plan of lay representation can be devised," respectively submits the following report:

Your Committee, after careful consideration of the subject and an interchange of views with many of the clergy and laity, have concluded that the best interests of the Church will be promoted and the object of the resolution under which they were appointed attained, so far as the same is expedient, by changing Section 2, of Article 2 of the Constitution and Canons, so as the same shall read as follows:

Report of Committee on Lay Representation.

SECTION 2. The Council shall also be composed of lay members, consisting of one delegate for each Parish or Church entitled to representation, chosen by the Vestry thereof, except as hereinafter provided. Every such Parish or Church having more than one officiating minister, canonically seated, shall be entitled to send as many lay delegates as it has ministers. *Every such Parish or Church entitled as above to one delegate shall be entitled to an additional delegate for every one hundred communicants in excess of one hundred. And every such Parish or Church entitled to two or more delegates shall be entitled to an additional delegate for every hundred communicants in excess of two hundred; Provided, however, that such delegates from a Parish or Church having only one officiating minister canonically seated shall cast but one vote, and such delegates from a Parish or Church having more than one officiating minister canonically seated shall cast only as many votes as the number of ministers so connected with such Parish or Church. The vote or votes to which such Parish or Church shall be entitled shall be apportioned among the delegates in attendance upon the Council. In every case the delegate or delegates shall be communicants of the Church. Provided further, that only such colored delegates shall be members as are specified in Section 3 of this article."*

While this amendment disturbs in no way the present arrangement which has existed so long of permitting each parish or church to cast one vote, with an additional vote for every officiating minister canonically seated in addition to one, it will bring into the Council a large number of laymen, whose efforts and offerings will greatly aid the Church in every field of its endeavor.

The Church in the Diocese is in danger of suffering from a spirit of congregationalism—the membership of the larger and wealthier churches ignorant or unmindful of the conditions of the Church at large, seem absorbed in matters which simply pertain to their own congregations, often lending but scant aid to their less prosperous sisters.

There is not a branch of church work, missions, Sunday-schools, Brotherhood of St. Andrew, or her educational institutions, which would not be benefitted by bringing more laymen into this Council. Here they learn the needs of the Church. Here they catch zeal and enthusiasm for its welfare, and from this rallying point they go back to their congregations to stimulate a new life and arouse redoubled efforts for the great cause she has in hand.

The cities in which the Council has been accustomed to assemble are yearly increasing in size, its membership has been greatly reduced by the division of the Diocese; there is, therefore, no danger that the body will become too large to be cared for at its places of meeting. Even if this consideration did present some measure of difficulty, it should not be permitted to impede a change which is likely to add so much to the life and growth of our Church.

JOHN M. TAYLOR,
J. J. GRAVATT.

Sundry Resolutions, &c.

The hour having arrived for adjournment the Council, on motion, determined to sit thirty minutes longer.

Mr. Hepburn offered the following by permission of the Council:

1. That the Diocesan Missionary Committee be, and is hereby, requested to send, annually, immediately after Easter a Special Missionary from the field of the Diocese to the Theological Seminary, to present the cause of the Diocese to the students of that Institution, and that the expenses of said Missionary be paid out of the treasury of the Diocesan Missionary Society.

2. That the authorities at the Seminary be requested to make provision for such an address before the students.

Mr. B. B. Munford moved that the paper presented by Mr. J. M. Taylor be printed in the Journal; that the committee be discharged, and that the whole subject be referred to the next Council.

Carried.

The Rev. H. B. Lee offered the following resolutions which were adopted:

Resolved. 1. That a committee of five, three clergymen and two laymen, be appointed to consider and report to the next Council, upon the propriety of bringing the Convocations into canonical connection with the Diocese.

2. If they report in favor of such a step, that they outline a plan of organization.

The Bishop appointed the following as the committee:

Rev. H. B. Lee,
" G. W. Nelson,
" W. D. Smith,

Major R. T. Scott,
Mr. John G. Williams.

The Rev. Jno. McGill moved that the committee appointed at the last Council in regard to determining the boundary lines of the parishes in Fairfax county be continued, and that the name of Rev. H. F. Kloman be added to the list.

On motion of Rev. W. M. Clark, it was resolved to continue in session till 6 o'clock.

Report of Committee on Episcopal High School.

The Rev. Berryman Green read the following report:

The Committee charged with the duty of looking "into the question of making the Episcopal High School a preparatory school for the Theological Seminary," beg leave to submit the following report:

When the Episcopal High School was founded in 1839 by Bishop Meade, although designed to be, as it has always been, properly a secondary school, some teaching of a character more advanced than customary in such schools was expressly provided. The Bishop was not satisfied with the college discipline of the day, yet he desired for the youth of his Diocese, and especially for those who might go into orders, the advantage of instruction of collegiate grade. In his Diocesan school, therefore, he introduced a measure of such instruction, linked with a closer than college discipline, and during the earlier years of its existence, not a few of those who afterwards became useful and eminent clergymen received at the High School their academic preparation for the Seminary—among others, its present Dean and President.

The character of the school, it would appear, remained of this type until the rectorship of Mr. Dalrymple, during which it became as it has ever since continued, more exclusively introductory to college or business, and less directly preparatory to the study of divinity. The change, it is believed, was due not so much, if at all, to difficulty in supplying suitable higher instruction as to the impracticability of adapting to men, discipline appropriate only for boys.

It is improbable that this difficulty could ever be removed, or that young men requiring training preparatory to entering the Seminary, would ever be willing to submit to the restraints they would necessarily incur as boarders at the High School, nor does it seem expedient or desirable that they should. At the same time, there appears to your committee, should a change from the present system be determined upon, no good reason why they should not reside at the Seminary, and yet receive all their instruction in classes at the High School. In these classes now, as heretofore, most of the teaching that would be required, especially in Latin and Greek, is regularly afforded, and removes during the session for the aptest learners could be arranged. In one or more branches not now taught in the school, instruction could be easily provided, if the number desiring it were large enough to justify a moderate additional outlay. Preparatory students thus taught, might live in the Seminary exactly as they did from 1859 to 1894, and be at the High School only during hours of recitation, though seats in the study hall there for their convenience, during short intervals between classes, should be provided.

As to the expediency of making any change from the present arrangement for preparatory students, your committee declines to express opinion or offer recommendation. It appears to them that this question should be referred to

Proposed change of day of Meeting.

another committee, including one or more members of the Seminary faculty, and one member of the Educational Society.

BERRYMAN GREEN,
P. P. PHILLIPS,
L. M. BLACKFORD.

Mr. Albert Baker invited the Council to meet next year in Christ church, Winchester, and the invitation was accepted.

The Rev. Angus Crawford offered the following, which was adopted: •

Resolved, That the desirability of making the so-called "Chicago-Lambeth Articles of Union" practical, by the necessary legislation on the part of the General Convention be referred to a committee of three appointed by the Bishop, to be reported on at the next Council.

The Bishop appointed the following as the committee: Revs. Angus Crawford, P. P. Phillips, and Mr. L. M. Blackford.

The following offered by Rev. D. C. T. Davis, President of the Convocation of the Valley of the Rappahannock, was then adopted:

Resolved, That we are deeply impressed with the need of greater spirituality in the meetings of the Councils of our Church, and therefore respectfully, but earnestly urge the Council of this Diocese to return to the old customs in regard to the religious services held during the week and on the following Sunday, and so to order the business sessions as will best conduce to this object.

D. C. T. DAVIS,
J. H. HUNDLEY,
E. B. BURWELL,
W. J. MORTON,
S. S. WARE,
A. B. CHINN.

The Rev. Jno. McGill, D. D., moved that the first article of the Constitution of the Diocese be altered by substituting "Tuesday" for "Wednesday."

Carried.

A motion to reconsider was then adopted.

Sundry Resolutions.

Rev. Carl E. Grammer, D. D., offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That this matter of changing the day for the opening of the Council be referred to a committee of three.

The Chair appointed the following as the committee: Revs. C. E. Grammer, D. D., Jno. McGill, D. D., and D. C. T. Davis.

The time for adjournment was then postponed to 6:10 P. M.

Mr. Thos. Potts proposed the following, which was accepted:

Resolved, That this Council recommends to the Board of Trustees of the Virginia Female Institute to fill the vacancy in their Board from this Diocese, the names of George W. Oliver, of Charlottesville, and Albert Baker, of Winchester.

Rev. R. A. Goodwin offered the following, which was carried:

Resolved, That this Council approves the good work of the Virginia Bible Society, and calls attention to the fact that our form for parochial reports names the Virginia Bible Society as one of the objects for which the Council recommends an annual contribution.

The Rev. W. M. Clark offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council extend its cordial thanks to the good people of Fredericksburg for their hospitality; to the rector and vestry of St. George's church; to its choir for their excellent music and faithful attendance on the meetings and services of the Council; to the Committee of Arrangements for their careful attention on the delegates; to the pages for their ready assistance in transacting the business of the Council; and to the several managers of the railroads and steamboat lines for their kindness and liberality in giving reduced rates on their several routes to the delegates in attendance on the Council.

After reading the minutes, singing the hymn "Blest be the tie that binds," and prayer by the President, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

F. M. WHITTLE, *President*.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

LIST OF OBJECTS

FOR WHICH

Collections have been Recommended
BY THE COUNCIL.

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- I.—Diocesan Missionary Society, in Advent.
Treasurer, Mr. JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Richmond*.
- II.—Foreign Missions, in Epiphany.
Remit to the Treasurer of the Foreign Committee,
Bible House, *New York*.
- III.—Disabled Clergy Fund, at Christmas.
Treasurer, Mr. WILLIAM H. PALMER, *Richmond*.
- IV.—Widows' and Orphans' Fund, in Lent.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.
- V.—Education Society, in June.
Treasurer, Rev. P. P. PHILLIPS, *Alexandria*.
- VI.—Virginia Bible Society, second Sunday in November.
Treasurer, Rev. WM. S. CAMPBELL, *Richmond*.
- VII.—Protestant Episcopal Church Home.
Treasurer, Mr. E. B. ADDISON, *Richmond*.
- VIII.—Endowment Fund of the Theological Seminary.
Treasurer, Col. ARTHUR HERBERT, *Alexandria*.
- IX.—Virginia Prayer Book Distribution Society.
Treasurer, Mr. F. D. BEVERIDGE, *Richmond*.



IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

Pike Powers, D. D.

Born in Caroline county, Virginia, March 16, 1813.

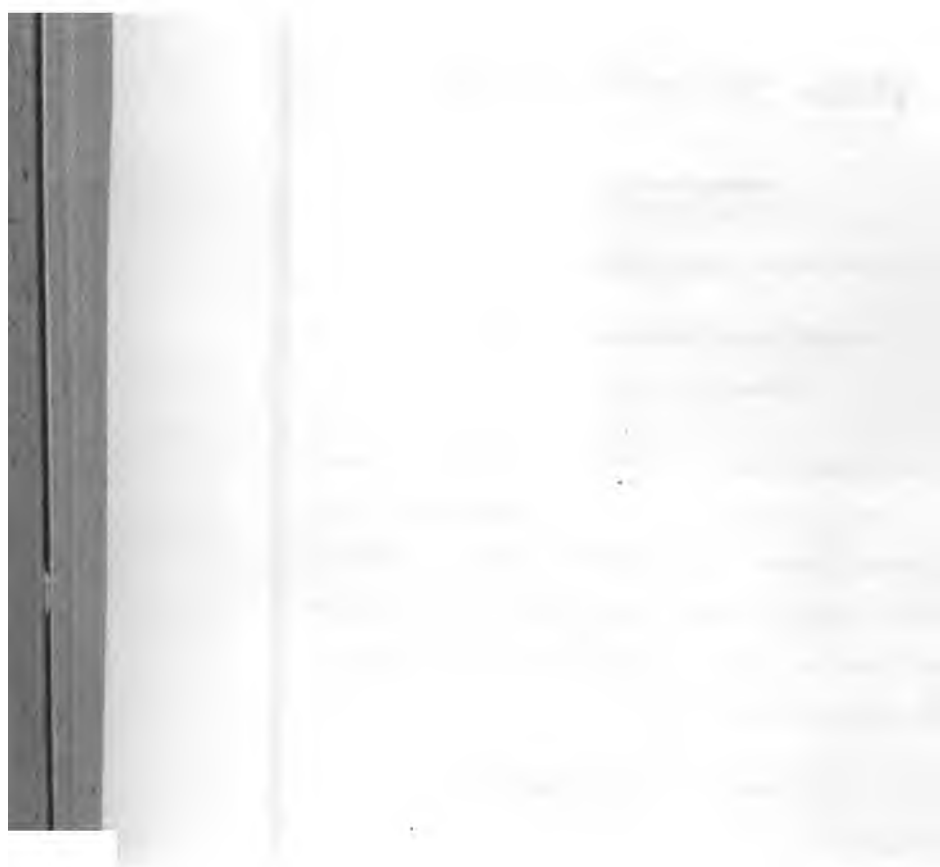
Ordained Deacon in Richmond in March, 1874.

Ordained Priest in March, 1877.

His various charges were: In charge of St. Philip's (colored) church in 1874. In 1875 he was elected Assistant-Minister of St. Paul's Church, Richmond. From October, 1875, he was rector of St. Andrew's Church, Richmond. He was Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia, and Editor of our "Diocesan Work" from 1879 to the day of his death.

Died February 20th, 1897.

"And his disciples came and took up the body and buried it, and went and told Jesus." Math. xiv: 12.



APPENDIX.

Treasurers' and Parochial Reports, &c.,
for 1897.

Treasurer's Account,

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY,

in account with JOHN L. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

1896.	RECEIPTS.	S. SCHOOLS.
May 12—	Balance on hand this date.....	\$2,328 33
	St. John's church S. S., Columbia.....	7 32 7 32
	Christ church, Ridley Parish.....	5 11
16—	Connington chapel parish, Clarke co	4 61
	Connington chapel parish S. S. Clarke co..	34 00 34 00
18—	Christ church Sunday-school, Winchester..	37 45 37 45
	St. John's, Warsaw.....	37 44
	St. John's Sunday-school, Warsaw.....	14 27 14 27
	St. Paul's chapel, Nomini Grove.....	3 00
19—	Emmanuel church, Henrico co., add'l....	55 00
	St. John's, Columbia	3 81
	Overwharton parish, Fluvanna.....	5 52
	Churches in King George.....	62 63
	Grace and Trinity, Whittle parish.....	4 55
	Grace and Trinity S. S., Whittle parish....	2 70 2 70
	Church of Our Saviour S. S., Whittle par..	2 00 2 00
20—	St. James' church, Shelburne parish.....	30 00
	Christ church Sunday-school, Richmond..	39 73 39 73
21—	St. James' church Sunday-school, Louisa..	8 02 8 02
25—	St. Paul's, Ivey, Albemarle.....	23 55
	Emmanuel, Greenwood, Albemarle.....	5 04
	Calvary, Front Royal.....	10 46
	Gertude Taylor (mite-box) All Saint's, Richmond	1 27 1 27
	Dora Taylor (mite-box), All Saint's, Rich- mond.	1 27 1 27
	Edith Atkinson (mite-box), All Saint's, Richmond	1 95 1 95
	Cash.....	51 51
	St. Timothy, Herndon, Christ, Chantilly...	2 23
26—	Mr. and Mrs. La Marsh, Trinity, Hanover,	2 00
	Emmanuel, Hanover.....	2 55
	Willie and Mary Terrell, Hanover.....	80
	Christ church and mite-boxes, Middlesex..	15 06
28—	St. Paul's Sunday-school, Richmond..	2 00 2 00
	Emmanuel, Harrisonburg.....	13 21
	Christ Sunday-school, Chantilly.....	85 85
30—	Woman's Miss. Soc'y St. Paul's church, Alexandria.....	12 15

Diocesan Missions.

ine	3—Calvary, Shenandoah.....		9 04
	5—St. John's Sunday-school, West Point.....	8 50	8 50
	15—Ruckersville Mission, Greene county.....		1 50
	17—Quantico church, Dumfries.....		1 75
	Pohick church, Fairfax.....		3 40
	Olivet church, Fairfax.....		1 06
	Zion church, Fairfax.....		4 48
	Trinity church, Manassas.....		1 35
	Grace church, Prince William.....		5 00
	26—St. Luke's chapel, Fredericksburg.....		6 59
ily	4—Washington parish, Westmoreland county,		5 00
	6—Emmanuel church, Piedmont parish.....		1 48
	Mrs. John E. Wright, Hodges' Ferry.....		3 06
	9—Christ church parish, Lancaster county....		5 00
	Grach church, Fluvanna.....		3 28
	Christ church, Albemarle.....		10 00
	St. John's church, Albemarle.....		2 25
	10—A Friend.....		15 00
	In Memoriam Miss M. B. H.....		15 00
	15—St. John's, Rivanna parish.....		1 00
	18—Lenten box of Bessie Gall, Md.....	1 50	1 50
	29—Edge Hill Memorial chapel, Lindsay.....		3 00
	St. Timothy, Herndon.....		2 00
	Christ church, Herndon.....		1 00
	30—Holy Innocent's, Abingdon parish.....		2 04
	Holy Innocent's S. S., Abingdon parish...	69	69
ug.	1—Fall's church Sunday-school, add'l.....	1 00	1 00
	10—St. Margaret's, Caroline.....		3 34
	11—St. John's, Tappahannock.....		5 50
	St. Paul's, Essex.....		2 70
	Immanuel, King and Queen.....		2 84
	St. John's, Langley.....		4 25
	Trinity, Rappahannock.....		1 10
	St. Paul's, Rappahannock.....		2 67
	14—Abingdon parish.....		2 38
	Ware parish.....		5 37
	18—St. George's, Fredericksburg.....		25 00
	24—Mrs. Ida B. Rust.....		50
	26—St. Timothy, Herndon.....		2 25
	Christ, Chantilly.....		1 15
	St. Stephen's, Culpeper.....		17 00
	St. Mark's chapel, Culpeper.....		5 00
	31—Grace, Fauquier.....		5 35

Treasurer's Account,

Sept.	1—Beckford parish, Shenandoah.....		5 93
	All Saint's Memorial, Culpeper.....		5 08
10—	Whittle parish, Fauquier.....		13 00
	Whittle parish, Sunday-school, Fauquier..	4 50	4 50
	St. Paul's, Hamilton.		8 00
	Christ, Goresville		4 20
11—	Washington parish, Westmoreland co.....		2 00
	St. James', Montross.....		1 06
	Grace Memorial, Lynnwood.....		10 00
16—	Emmanuel church, Fauquier..		1 76
18—	Grace, Albemarle..		8 75
	St. John's, Louisa.....		4 94
	Christ church, Culpeper.....		4 57
	Calvary church, Culpeper.....		2 79
19—	St. Luke's church.....		3 66
	St. Peter's, New Kent.....		5 55
	St. Paul's, Essex.....		88
	St. David's, King William.....		2 89
21—	Fork church, Hanover.....		3 00
	Church of Our Saviour, Hanover.....		2 00
23—	Grace and Trinity, Fauquier.....		26 00
	Church of Our Saviour, Fauquier.....		7 00
	St. Paul's, Gainesville.....		8 50
	St. Thomas', Orange		15 22
24—	Leed's, Fauquier.....		7 50
29—	Kingston parish, Mathews county.		11 79
Oct.	8—Edge Hill Chapel.....		3 47
	Christ church, Spotsylvania.....		2 30
	Quantico, Dumfries		1 65
	Grace, Prince William		5 00
	Buck Mt. church.....		4 10
	St. James', Albemarle.....		1 09
	Christ church, Gordonsville		2 74
	St. James', Louisa.....		4 04
	Mineral City Mission.....		75
	Barbour Memorial church.....		3 55
10—	Christ church, Lancaster.....		7 00
13—	A Friend, St. Paul's church, Alexandria..		5 00
16—	A Friend, St. Paul's church, Alexandria..		25 00
24—	Emmanuel church, Slaughter parish.....		11 45
29—	St. James' church Sunday-school, Ashland,	3 00	3 00
31—	Beckford parish.....		1 95
	Rev. Jas. Grammer.....		3 05

Diocesan Missions.

ov.	10—Cople parish, Westmoreland.....		10 20
	11—Rev. Thos. E. Locke, Albemarle.....		3 00
	14—St. Peter's, Oak Grove.....		3 89
	Vawter's, Essex.....		2 80
	St. Stephen's, Northumberland.....		2 15
	St. John's, West Point.....		6 74
	17—Emmanuel, Fauquier.....		44
	20—Christ church S. S., Brandy Station.....	3 67	3 67
	24—St. David's, King William.....		7 11
	30—St. Luke's Mission, Essex.....		3 00
	Bishop Whittle.....		25 00
	St. James', Montross.....		1 04
	St. Peter's, Oak Grove.....		1 51
	St. Peter's Sunday-school, Oak Grove.....	45	45
	St. James', Richmond.....	8 61	8 61
ec.	1—J. M. McVeigh, Aldie.....		4 00
	3—Trinity church, Manassas.....		3 40
	Trinity church, Mathews county.....		2 77
	Mrs. W. K. Skinker, The Plains.....	*	1 00
ec.	4—Overwharton Parish, Stafford county.....		4 44
	Monumental church branch Woman's Aux- iliary, Richmond.....		10 00
	8—Calvary, Shenandoah.....		3 00
	Grace Memorial, Lynnwood.....		5 00
	Vawter's, Essex county.....		1 69
	14—Grace, Richmond.....		25 00
	15—Emmanuel, Henrico.....		422 02
	21—St. John's church, Albemarle.....		11 05
	23—Mrs. S. F. Scott, Madison Run.....		3 00
	St. Stephen's Guild, Culpeper.....		6 70
	St. Stephen's church, Culpeper.....		5 00
	Saint Stephen's Sunday-school, Culpeper.....	3 30	3 30
	Piedmont church, Madison.....		2 50
	Mission at Pratt's.....		1 34
	26—St. James' church, Richmond.....		100 00
	28—Abingdon Parish, Gloucester county.....		2 93
	Ware, Gloucester county.....		4 63
	29—St. Paul's church, Hamilton.....		5 25
	Emmanuel and Cedar Run Parishes Fau- quier.....		17 80
	All Saint's, Richmond.....		149 50
	Grace, Fluvanna.....		2 45
	St. Martin's Hanover.....		1 00
	St. Margaret's, Caroline.....		3 30

Treasurer's Account,

Dec. 30—Miss C. D., a member of Christ church		
Brandy Station.....		5 00
1897.		
Jan'y 1—Leed's Parish, Fauquier.....		7 48
4—Buck Mt., Albemarle county.....		1 69
Mrs. M. Blackwell, Lillian.....		1 00
Herndon and Chantilly, Upper Truro p'sh		3 84
Trinity church, Upperville.....		3 00
Children's Miss. So., Washington P'sh....		5 00
St. James', Montross.....		1 05
5—Christ church, Mathews.....		3 00
St. Luke's Mission, Essex.....		3 00
6—Whittle Parish.....		9 60
Woman's Miss. So., Saint Paul's church,		
Alexandria		64 75
Barbour church, Orange.....		4 29
Christ, Orange.....		3 59
8—St. Paul's, Culpeper.....		8 00
9—White Chapel, Lancaster.....		2 40
Grace.....		1 48
Trinity.....		1 12
13—A friend.....		15 00
In memoriam, Miss M. B. H.		15 00
St. George's, Fredericksburg.....		40 00
St. Paul's, King George.....		3 33
St. James', Ashland.....		10 00
15—A member of Grace church, Berryville....		2 00
St. Martin's, Hanover.....		1 33
Trinity, Hanover.....		1 74
Fork, Hanover.....		4 00
Emmanuel Sunday-school, Hanover.....	12 55	12 55
Grace, Alexandria.....		4 98
Beckford Parish.....		2 45
18—Episcopal Congregation, Vienna.....		1 76
19—Falls church, Fairfax Parish.....		5 70
20—Pohick and Olivet churches.....		3 27
25—Cox boys, Sunday-school.....	1 07	1 07
26—Fanny J. Keane, Goochland.....		1 00
27—Trinity church, Mathews		1 98
Christ, Mathews.....		6 00
Emmanuel, Slaughter parish.....		10 20
Trinity, Rappahannock.....		1 50
St. Martin's Parish, Hanover.....		10 50
30—Peterkin Guild, St. James' c'h, Richmond		50 00

Diocesan Missions.

b.	3—Grace church, Richmond.....	25 00
	9—St. Paul's, Hanover.....	1 00
	Edge Hill Memorial Chapel	1 38
	Leed's church, Fauquier.....	2 81
	Emmanuel, Fauquier.....	2 11
	Trinity, Manassas	3 27
	Zion, Fairfax county.....	4 38
	Good Shepherd, Fairfax county.....	6 35
	10—A member of St. Paul's c'h, Alexandria..	4 00
	St. Paul's church, Woodville.....	1 50
	Mrs. S. R. Lacy, Tunstall's....	4 00
	Mrs. S. R. Stringfellow, Mitchell's.....	3 00
	13—Grace Memorial, Rockingham.....	5 00
	15—St. John's, Langly.....	1 00
	17—St. Anne's Parish, Essex.....	1 50
	22—Weddell Memorial, Richmond.....	1 97
	Mrs. Anne Leatherby's school, Onancock	80
	24—St. Paul's church, Essex.....	1 08
	25—Abingdon church, Gloucester..	3 68
	Ware church, Gloucester..	4 00
	Ware Parish, Gloucester.....	1 00
	26—St. Stephen's, Northumberland.....	3 50
arch	6—St. John's, West Point.....	3 00
	St. David's, Aylett.....	3 91
	Church of Our Saviour, Hanover	1 04
	St. Peter's, New Kent.....	1 80
	Trinity, Hanover.....	70
	8—Washington Parish, Westmoreland.....	1 12
	Montross, Westmoreland.....	88
	9—St. Timothy, Herndon.....	2 90
	Christ, Chantilly.....	1 51
	11—St. Paul's church, Hanover.....	2 02
	Emmanuel, Hanover.....	1 02
	16—Grace church, Brema	3 50
	St. John's, Columbia.....	3 69
	19—Young Ladies' Guild, St. Andrew's R'd..	10 00
	Emily W. Stanley.....	5 00
	Mrs. Col. Hutt, Montross.....	1 00
	27—Emmanuel church, King George.....	1 20
	29—Womans' Miss. So., St. Paul's Alex'a....	52 60
	30—Fork church, Hanover—Rev. E. Meade...	5 00
ril	1—Holy Innocents' chapel, Gloucester county	1 65
	Chapel at Gloucester C. H.....	1 90

Treasurer's Account,

April	1—Kingston Parish, Mathew's county.....		6 00	
	2—Whittle Parish.....		13 00	
	St. Timothy, Herndon.....		1 21	
	Christ, Chantilly.....		44	
	3—Grace, Lancaster county.....		2 00	
	Wicomico Chapel, Northumberland.....		3 00	
	5—Westover Parish, Charles City county....		5 69	
	6—Theo. Seminary chapel		33 62	
	12—St. Andrew's and Emmanuel, Shenandoah county		5 05	
	14—Somerset Mission, Orange county.....		5 31	
	A member of St. Paul's church, Alex'a ..		20 00	
	17—Auxiliary Branch of Emmanuel church, Greenwood Parish.....		10 00	
	20—St. Mary's, Goochland.....		5 35	
	Church of Epiphany, Barton Heights, R'd		16 36	
	St. John's, Langley.....		2 12	
	St. George's, Fredericksburg.....		20 00	
	St. Stephen's Sunday-school, Culpeper....	21 60	21 60	
	St. Mark's Sunday-school, Culpeper	16 10	16 10	
	Good Shepherd Sunday-school, Culpeper	4 45	4 45	
	St. James', Asland:			
	Congregation.....	18 03		
	Rector's Aid Society.....	12 35		
	Ladies' Aid Society.....	20 00		
	Sunday-school.....	29 05		
			29 05	
	St. Mark's Sunday-school, Richmond.....	43 72	43 72	79 43
	22—Grace church Sunday-school, Alex'a.....	2 71	2 71	
	St. Paul's church, Hamilton		10 08	
	St. Paul's Sunday-school, Hamilton.....	31 25	31 25	
	Christ church, Goresville.....		6 07	
	Christ Sunday-school, Goresville.....	7 60	7 60	
	St. James church, Montross.....		2 72	
	St. James' Sunday-school, Montross	6 08	6 08	
	23—St. Paul's, Hanover.....		3 25	
	St. David's Sunday-school, Aylett	21 28	21 28	
	Grace, Berryville.....		21 51	
	Grace Sunday-school, Berryville.....	38 42	38 42	
	St. George's church S. S., Fredericksb'g	120 00	120 00	
	24—Piedmont church, Madison.....		59 22	
	Piedmont church Sunday-school, Madison,	10 32	10 32	
	26—Zion church Sunday-school, Truro Parish,	9 34	9 34	
	Beckford Parish S. S., Shenandoah.....	7 99	7 99	

Diocesan Missions.

ril 26—Rev. James Grammer.....		20 00
Mrs. G. W. Carter, Markham.....		6 00
St. Paul's church, Raccoon Ford		10 00
St. Paul's church S. S., Raccoon Ford....	12 20	12 20
St. Paul's church, Essex county.....		2 92
St. Paul's church S. S., Essex county....	4 03	4 03
St. James' church S. S., Richmond	124 61	124 61
27—Wickliffe Br'ch Woman's Aux'y, Wickliffe,		18 80
Christ church, Ridley Parish.....		17 02
Calvary, Ridley Parish.....		4 16
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Alexandria.....	85 00	85 00
Grace Sunday-school, Richmond	111 00	111 00
Westover Parish, Charles City county....		20 29
St. Margaret's, Caroline..	4 17	4 17
28—Trinity church, Meade Parish.....		18 25
Emmanuel, John's Parish		4 10
Church of Our Redeemer, John's Parish..		11 25
Abingdon church, Gloucester.....		3 77
Abingdon church S. S., Gloucester.....	13 76	13 76
Holy Innocents' chapel, Gloucester.....		1 05
Ware church Sunday-school.....	13 45	13 45
Ware church		9 37
Christ church, Mathews.....		25 00
Trinity, Mathews		2 77
St. Paul's church S. S., Richmond.....	239 86	239 86
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Hanover	4 25	4 25
St. Paul's Sunday-school, William C. and		
George B. Wickham, Hanover.....	2 27	2 27
Miss Florence J. Lacy, St. Peter's, New		
Kent, Sunday-school.....	1 18	1 18
29—Grace, Albemarle		36 23
Grace Sunday-school, Albemarle	21 31	21 31
St. John's, Louisa		13 89
Grace, Richmond.....		11 91
Vawter's church, Essex....		3 48
Vawter's church Sunday-school, Essex....	10 19	10 19
Rev. D. C. T. Davis, Essex.....		5 00
Bromfield Parish S. S., Rappahannock....	5 70	5 70
St. Paul's Sunday-school, Haymarket.....	26 50	26 50
White Chapel, Lancaster county.....		3 21
White Chapel S. S., Lancaster county....	2 00	2 00
Grace church, Lancaster county.....		3 00
Grace church S. S., Lancaster county.....	4 94	4 94

Treasurer's Account,

April 29—Trinity, Lancaster county		1 39
Trinity Sunday-school, Lancaster county..	5 08	5 08
Trinity church S. S., Manassas	12 00	12 00
St. Stephen's Sunday-school, Fauquier....	12 18	12 18
St. Stephen's, Fauquier.....		8 60
Grace church, Fauquier.....		8 46
Grace church Sunday-school, Fauquier. ...	8 52	8 52
Grace c'h ministering children, Fauquier..	6 00	6 00
St. Luke's church, Fauquier.....		2 00
St. Luke's church Sunday-school, Fauquier,	5 00	5 00
St. Luke's Woman's Auxiliary, Fauquier..		1 70
30—Trinity Sunday-school, Hanover.....	2 00	2 00
Trinity S. S., three Lowry boys.....	52	52
St. Thomas' Sunday-school, Orange.....	36 52	36 52
St. Thomas' church, Orange.....		33 39
St. Peter's, Port Royal.....		37 38
Immanuel Sunday-school, Hanover.....	13 75	13 75
May 1—Grace, Rockingham.....		4 09
Yanceyville, Louisa.....		2 33
Edgehill Memorial chapel.....		2 41
Chapel at Gloucester C. H.....		1 00
St. John's, Scottsville....		3 99
St. John's Sunday-school, Scottsville.....	2 00	2 00
Christ church, Albemarle.....		7 17
Grace church Sunday-school, Alexandria..	5 78	5 78
St. James' church, Richmond.....		501 57
Christ church, Richmond.....		14 88
St. Paul's church, Richmond.....		162 70
St. James', Ashland, add'l.....		2 91
St. James' S. S., Ashland, add'l	3 97	3 97
St. James', Louisa.....		2 77
St. James' Sunday-school.....	3 52	3 52
Christ church, Gordonsville.....		1 26
3—Grace church, Albemarle, add'l.....		2 00
Grace church S. S., Albemarle, add'l.....	1 00	1 00
Pohick Sunday-school.....	28 17	28 17
Olivet.....		1 31
Fork church Woman's Auxiliary, Hanover.		3 00
Holy Trinity church, Richmond.....		13 59
Grace Memorial, Rockingham.....		7 50
St. Mark's, Richmond.....		29 58
St. Mark's S. S., Richmond, add'l.....	1 00	1 00
St. James', Warrenton.....		25 06

Diocesan Missions.

May	3—St. James', Warrenton.....		20 15
	4—Emmanuel Sunday-school, Harrisonburg..	15 09	15 09
	Grace, Caroline.. ..		4 14
	5—Trinity Sunday-school, Fredericksburg....	19 23	19 23
	St. John's, Rivanna parish.		6 06
	All Saint's Memorial S. S., Culpeper co..	4 15	4 15
	Meade Memorial, Clarke county.....		6 60
	St. Peter's church, Westmoreland.....		17 73
	St. Peter's Children's Missionary Society..	3 85	3 85
	St. Peter's Sunday-school....	14 77	14 77
	St. Peter's Lady's Aid Society.....		20 00
	Paynes chapel S. S., Westmoreland.....	3 65	3 65
	6—Calvary church, Shenandoah.....		5 11
	Calvary church S. S., Shenandoah.....	11 25	11 25
	Christ church, Luray.....		8 10
	Christ church Sunday-school, Luray.....	5 00	5 00
	Grace Memorial S. S., Lynnwood.....	15 00	15 00
	John L. Williams, amount paid by him on account of services of assistant treasurer,		50 00
	7—St. Paul's Sunday-school, Hanover.. . . .	41	41
	8—St. James' Sunday-school, Richmond.....	8 87	8 87
	10—Emmanuel church, Henrico.....		571 75
	11—Christ church, Charlottesville.....		65 00
	Christ church S. S., Charlottesville.	35 00	35 00
	St. Luke's chapel S. S., Charlottesville....	7 00	7 00
	Churches in King George county.....		50 90
	St. Luke's morning S. S., Richmond.....	6 20	6 20
	St. Luke's evening S. S., Richmond	8 40	8 40
	Episcopal Congregation, Vienna.....		1 30
	St. John's church, Richmond.....		157 48
	12—Women's Miss. So., St. Paul's, Alex'a....		34 00
	A little girl, Middleton church, Warren co.,	4 25	4 25
	Woman's Aux. of Grace ch., Albemarle..		2 00
	13—St. John's church, Warsaw.		38 14
	St. John's church Sunday-school, Warsaw.	11 86	11 86
		<u>\$1,579 50</u>	<u>\$8,513 13</u>

Treasurer's Account,

DISBURSEMENTS.

1896.

May	14—	Stamped envelopes	55
	16—	Rev. Charles H. Lee.....	18 75
		Preston Nash.....	75 00
June	2—	Carter Page	25 00
	3—	Edw. A. Temple.....	37 50
		John S. Douglas.....	25 00
		Pd. Asst. Treasurer, one quarter to May 13.....	37 50
	12—	Rev. D. C. T. Davis.....	37 50
	17—	E. Meade, Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	17 80
			<hr/> 117 80
	20—	Hugh Martin.....	50 00
	22—	J. W. Ware	25 00
	30—	S. S. Hepburn.....	62 50
July	1—	Henry Wingate.....	50 00
	4—	Henry F. Kloman.....	25 00
		John McNabb	50 00
		John McGill	75 00
		G. O. Meade.....	62 50
		W. C. Latane.....	68 75
		J. J. Clupton.....	37 50
	6—	James Grammer.....	62 50
	8—	J. R. Ellis.....	62 50
	9—	E. B. Burwell	50 00
		E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	5 50
			<hr/> 105 50
	10—	J. H. Hundley.....	37 50
		Wm. B. Lee	37 50
		E. W. Cowling.....	25 00
	15—	S. S. Ware	50 00
		John D. LaMothe.....	37 50
		Paid So. Churchman amt. sent by Rev. T. E. Locke and credited as for Dios. Miss. So.....	50
	23—	Paid State Bank for check of H. J. Lewis, sent by Miss Martha Gatewood, returned unpaid.....	8 50
	29—	Paid for rubber stamp.....	1 00
	31—	Rev. Preston Nash	75 00
Aug.	1—	Hugh Martin.....	50 00
	3—	Pike Powers.....	125 00
	5—	J. C. Gray.....	12 50

Diocesan Missions.

gt. 6—	A. B. Chinn	50 00
	C. S. Harrison	37 50
11—	Charles H. Lee	18 75
14—	Postage	28
	Rev. E. Meade—Salary	\$100 00
	Expenses	19 55
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	J. R. Ellis	119 55
	J. R. Ellis	25 00
31—	Paid Assistant Treasurer to Aug. 13	37 50
st. 1—	Rev. Job Turner	50 00
	Edw. Valentine Jones	31 25
10—	Edw. A. Temple	37 50
	D. C. T. Davis	37 50
11—	Martin Johnson, special	100 00
	John S. Douglas	25 00
19—	E. Meade—Salary	\$100 00
	Expenses	7 00
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		107 00
21—	S. S. Hepburn	62 50
	Wm. B. Lee	37 50
22—	Carter Page	25 00
23—	J. W. Ware	25 00
29—	Paid postage	1 00
2—	Rev. Edw. Valentine Jones	31 25
	John McGill	75 00
	J. J. Clopton	37 50
	Thomas Semmes	100 00
	G. O. Meade	62 50
5—	E. W. Cowling	25 00
7—	J. R. Ellis	87 50
	James Grammer	62 50
8—	John McNabb	37 50
	J. H. Hundley	37 50
	E. Meade—Salary	\$100 00
	Expenses	8 55
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		108 55
	Henry F. Kloman	25 00
10—	W. C. Latané	68 75
	E. B. Burwell	50 00
12—	John McNabb	37 50
14—	S. S. Ware	50 00
	Charles H. Lee	37 50
19—	Henry Wingate	50 00
20—	A. B. Chinn	50 00

Treasurer's Account,

Oct.	24—	Hugh Martin.....	50 00
	30—	Preston Nash.....	75 00
	31—	W. B. Williams.....	25 00
		Paid Assistant Treasurer to Nov. 13.....	37 50
Nov.	3—	Rev. Pike Powers.....	125 00
	5—	J. H. Gibbons.....	37 50
	10—	John D. LaMothe.....	37 50
		J. C. Gray.....	12 50
		Paid postage.....	2 16
	14—	Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	4 10
			104 10
Dec.	1—	Carter Page.....	25 00
	4—	Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	7 10
			107 10
	8—	John S. Douglas.....	37 50
	14—	J. W. Ware.....	25 00
	15—	Edw. A. Temple.....	37 50
	28—	Edw. Valentine Jones.....	31 25
	30—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
		Expenses.....	7 99
			107 99
		Henry F. Kloman.....	25 00
		Thomas Semmes.....	50 00

1897.

Jan.	1—	G. O. Mead.....	62 50
	2—	Wm. Ellis Jones, circulars.....	3 00
	4—	Rev. John McNabb.....	37 50
		Henry Wingate.....	50 00
		J. R. Ellis.....	87 50
		W. C. Latane.....	68 75
		Postage.....	1 64
	5—	Rev. D. C. T. Davis.....	37 50
	6—	Wm. B. Lee.....	37 50
		James Grammer.....	62 50
	7—	E. W. Cowling.....	25 00
	13—	E. B. Burwell.....	50 00
		J. J. Clopton.....	37 50
	15—	S. S. Ware.....	50 00
	16—	J. Hervey Hundley.....	37 50
		Wm. J. Morton.....	50 00
	18—	Chas. H. Lee.....	12 50
	20—	John McGill.....	75 00

Diocesan Missions.

23—	John D. LaMothe.	37 50
27—	S. S. Hepburn	62 50
1—	Pike Powers.....	125 00
3—	Baughman Stationery Co.....	2 50
4—Rev.	J. H. Gibbons.....	37 50
	Preston Nash.....	75 00
6—	A. B. Chinn.....	50 00
9—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	14 35
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		114 35
10—	C. L. Price.....	37 50
	Edw. Valentine Jones.....	31 25
12—	W. B. Williams.....	25 00
	W. B. Williams, Ass't Treasurer.....	37 50
25—	Carter Page.....	25 00
rch 4—	Baughman Stationery Co.....	6 25
	5—Wm. Ellis Jones.....	25 00
	6—Rev. E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	7 00
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		107 00
8—	John S. Douglas.....	37 50
	Edw. A. Temple	37 50
11—	D. C. T. Davis.....	37 50
16—	J. W. Ware.....	25 00
30—	S. S. Hepburn	62 50
31—	Henry F. Kloman.....	25 00
ril 1—	E. Meade—Salary.....	\$100 00
	Expenses.....	9 00
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		109 00
2—	John McNabb.....	37 50
	Henry Wingate.....	50 00
	John McGill.....	75 00
	J. R. Ellis.....	87 50
3—	E. B. Burwell.....	50 00
	Thomas Semmes.....	50 00
	J. J. Clopton.....	37 50
5—	Wm. B. Lee.....	37 50
	W. C. Latané.....	68 75
6—	J. H. Hundley.....	37 50
8—	W. J. Morton.....	50 00
12—	James Grammer.....	62 50
13—	Wilson Paper Box Company.....	98 09
14—	Rev. S. S. Ware.....	50 00

Treasurer's Account,

April 16—	John D. LaMothe	37 50
	G. O. Meade.....	62 50
21—	A. B. Chinn.....	50 00
	Preston Nash.....	75 00
23—	Edw. Val. Jones.....	31 25
May 1—	E. Meade—Salary	\$100 00
	Expenses	15 30
		<hr/> 115 30
4—	J. H. Gibbons.....	37 50
	D. C. T. Davis.....	5 00
	W. B. Williams	25 00
	W. B. Williams, Assistant-Treasurer.....	37 50
	Baughman Stationery Co.....	30
	Postage.....	1 00
12—	Interest on overdraft paid State Bank.....	10 16
		<hr/> \$7,633 92
13—	By balance in bank.....	879 21
		<hr/> \$8,513 13

Diocesan Missions.

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

In account with JOHN L. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

1897.	S. SCHOOLS.	
May 13—Balance to their credit this date as per account rendered.....	\$1,579 50	\$879 21
RECEIVED SINCE.		
14—St. Paul's church, Richmond.....		74 15
St. Andrew's church, Richmond.....		14 41
St. Timothy's church Sunday-school, Fair- fax county.....	10 09	10 09
17—Holy Trinity church S. S., Richmond....	76 37	76 37
Belmont chapel, Leesburg.....		1 00
St. Luke's church, Essex.....		7 00
Emmanuel church, Rapidan.....		11 00
Christ church, Alexandria.....		186 02
Calvary church, St. Thomas' parish.....		12 64
18—All Saint's church S. S., Richmond.....	47 02	47 02
	<u>\$1,712 98</u>	<u>\$1,318 91</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Postage.....		15
Balance in bank to-day....		<u>\$1,318 76</u>

We have examined the account of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society and find the same correct and sustained by proper vouchers, and the balance in bank, to-day, to be \$1,318.76.

THOMAS POTTS,
GEO. G. MINOR,
Committee.

Richmond, Va., May 18, 1897.

Treasurer's Account,

*The Society for the relief of Disabled Clergymen of the
Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia,
In account with WILLIAM H. PALMER, Treasurer.*

1896.

May	1—Cash in City Bank to the credit of the Society by last report at this date.....		\$1,813 11
Dec.	5—Less cash paid Lancaster & Lucke in exchanging \$3,000 Richmond and Danville R. R. Co. 6 per cent. bonds for \$7,000 Georgia Midland Railway 3's bonds, as ordered by a meeting of the Trustees of the Funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia—		
	\$7,000 Georgia Midland R'y 3's @ 55.....	\$3,850 00	
	\$3,000 Richmond & Danville R. R. @ 1.19,	3,570 00	
			280 00
	Balance of cash		\$1,533 11

RECEIPTS FROM THE CHURCHES.

May	5—St. James' church, Leesburg.....	\$22 17
	Grace church, Alexandria	4 39
	Church of our Saviour, Fauquier.....	2 00
	12—Grace church, Albemarle.....	19 18
	19—St. Paul's church, Ivy Depot.	4 00
	28—Emmanuel church, Harrisonburg.....	13 21
	29—Calvary church, Front Royal.....	9 66
June	11—Grace Memorial church, Lynnwood.	5 00
	29—St. Paul's, Haymarket.....	2 80
Nov.	3—Trinity church, Meade parish, Fauquier...	4 30
Dec.	29—Grace church, Berryville.....	20 00
	St. Stephen's, Culpeper.....	10 00
	Holy Trinity, Richmond.....	48 33
	30—Emmanuel church, Piedmont parish, Fauquier.....	80
	31—St. Peter's, Washington parish.....	3 14
	Payne's chapel.....	1 00
	Vienna, Virginia.....	2 81
1897.		
Jan'y	2—Leed's parish, Fauquier county....	5 60
	St. Luke's Mission, Essex.....	2 00
	St. Paul's church, King George county....	3 10

Disabled Clergy.

1'y	4—Pohick church.....	1	50	
	5—St. Thomas' church, Orange, Va.....	8	54	
	Abingdon church, Abingdon parish.....	3	00	
	St. James' church, Richmond.....	91	44	
	7—Christ church, Millwood.....	8	65	
	8—St. Paul's church, Culpeper C. H.....	5	00	
	St. Andrew's, Richmond.....	8	33	
	12—St. James' church, Warrenton.....	16	73	
	14—St. John's church, Richmond.....	22	68	
	Christ church, Winchester.....	26	00	
	15—Grace church, Alexandria.....	4	84	
	19—Fall's church, Fairfax parish.....	3	45	
	Christ church, Alexandria.....	35	00	
	Grace Memorial church, Rockingham....	13	34	
	21—Grace church, Whittle parish.....	10	00	
	26—Seminary chapel.....	26	00	
	28—Mrs. Tripp, Fall's church parish.....	5	00	
b'y	11—St. Paul's, Ivey Depot.....	2	25	
	Emmanuel church, Greenwood.....	2	25	
1r.	3—St. Paul's church, Alexandria... ..	118	00	
	20—Lady Communicant, Calvary church, Front Royal.....	1	50	
1ril	6—Christ church, Charlottesville.....	33	29	
	14—Member of St. Paul's church, Alexandria.	10	00	
	21—St. John's church, Hanover parish.....	6	91	
	22—St. Peter's church, Port Royal.....	2	41	
	Grace church, Caroline.....	75		
	23—St. Paul's church, Richmond.....	117	65	
	27—Grace church, Richmond.....	33	70	
	All Saint's church, Richmond.....	41	38	
	Monumental church, Richmond.....	13	73	
	29—Bloomfield parish, Rappahannock county..	2	85	
1y	1—Emmanuel church, Henrico.....	184	92	
	3—St. Mark's church, Richmond.....	16	74	
	5—E. F. C. A. through Mr. Addison.....	5	00	
	Amount received from the churches.....	\$1,066	32	\$1,066 32
				\$2,599 44

DEBTOR.

1896.

1y	8—Cash paid Col. Arthur Herbert, Treasurer Theological Seminary, for one months pay Dr. McIlhany, approved by Bishop Whittle.....	41	74
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Treasurer's Account,

Dec. 18—Cash paid T. H. Willcox, committee for Rev. T. M. Ambler.....	100 00
Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Va.....	100 00
Rev. Thos. E. Locke, Alexandria, Va....	100 00
1897.	
Jan. 6—Cash sent Col. Arthur Herbert, Treas., as directed by Bishop Newton, the propor- tion of the Diocese of Virginia to the fund for the maintenance of the Rev. Jos. Packard, D. D.....	180 00
7—Cash paid Wm. Ellis Jones, 250 postal cards, and printing same.....	3 50
M'ch 26—Cash paid T. M. Willcox, committee, Rev. T. M. Ambler	300 00
Cash paid Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood...	300 00
Cash paid Rev. T. M. Locke, Alex'a.....	300 00
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	1,425 21
Amount carried forward.....	<hr/>
	\$1,174 21

INVESTED FUNDS—RECEIPTS.

1897.	
May 4—By this amount received from J. M. Ball, Treasurer, Collections from Securities in the possession of the Virginia Trust Co.:	
Interest on Richmond and Danville bonds to July 1896.....	90 00
Interest on Georgia Pacific R. R. bonds to January, 1897.....	50 00
Interest on Petersburg R. R. "B" bonds to January, 1897.....	60 00
Interest on Virginia 3's bonds to January 1897.....	60 00
Interest on Richmond city bonds, 6's, to January, 1897.....	30 00
Interest on Petersburg R. R. "A" 5's, to January, 1897.....	200 00
Interest on Virginia Century bonds to Jan- uary, 1897.....	60 00
Interest on Georgia Midland bonds 3's, to Ap'l 1897.....	105 00
Interest on deposits.....	10 54
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	665 54

 Disabled Clergy.

Less this amount deducted, the amount apportioned to the Disabled Clergy Fund of the amount paid the Virginia Trust Company for taking care of the securities.....	25 00	
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	640 00	
Interest received from the City Bank on balances	41 98	
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Total receipt from the invested funds.....	682 52	682 52
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May 5—Balance cash on deposit to the credit of the fund in the City Bank.....		\$1,856 72
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ASSETS OF THE SOCIETY, MAY 5, 1897.

On deposit with the Virginia Trust Company.

1,000 Georgia Pacific R. R. Co. bonds, 5-6's.....	900 00	
1,000 Petersburg R. R. Co., "B" bonds, 6's.....	1,090 00	
2,000 Virginia 3's bonds 3's.....	1,350 00	
500 Richmond City 6's bonds, 6's.....	550 00	
4,000 Petersburg R. R. "A" bonds, 5's.....	4,240 00	
3,000 Virginia Century bonds, 2-3's.....	1,773 75	
7,000 Georgia Midland Ry. bonds, 3's.....	3,850 00	
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\$18,500		\$13,753 75
Cash balance to the credit of the Society, in City Bank of Richmond.....		1,856 72
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		\$15,610 47
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Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. PALMER, *Treasurer.**E. & O. E.*

We have examined the within account and find the same correct, and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

THOMAS POTTS,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Auditing Committee.

Treasurer's Account,

*The Society for the Relief of the Widows and Orphans
of Deceased Clergymen of the Diocese of Virginia,
In account with E. B. ADDISON, Treasurer.*

		CR.	
1896.			
May	4—By balance on hand last report.....	\$1,362	87
	By cash from the following contributions:		
	13—By St. Mark's church, Richmond.....	5	47
	19—By Ivey Depot church.....	4	35
	By Greenwood church.....	2	00
	By Christ church, Alexandria.....	30	00
	By Ladies' Aid Society, Grace church, Goochland Courthouse.....	5	00
July	17—By St. Andrew's church, Richmond.....	6	25
	By St. Paul's church, Haymarket.....	2	25
Dec.	10—By two members Grace church, Berryville.....	1	50
	By St. John's church, Richmond.....	18	03
	By cash from J. M. Ball, Treasurer, exchange for sale of bonds as follows:		
	Sold \$4,000 R. & D. bonds @ 119.....	\$4,760	00
	Bought \$8,000 Ga. Mid. Ry. bonds @ 55.....	4,400	00
		360	00
	30—By Trinity church, Manassas.....	2	10
	By St. George's church, Fredericksburg.....	28	57
	By Bedford Parish.....	1	64
	By Rev. James Grammer.....	10	00
	By Abingdon church, Gloucester county.....	2	39
	By Ware church, Gloucester county.....	3	33
	By St. Stephen's church, Culpeper.....	10	75
	31—By Christ church, Brandy Station.....	3	36
	By Herndon, Chantilly and Upper Truro Parishes, Fairfax county.....	3	59
1897.			
Jany.	27—By Christ church, Gordonsville.....	2	50
	By St. James' church, Leesburg.....	30	50
	By St. Thomas' church, Orange.....	8	53
	By Zion church, Fairfax county.....	6	55
	By St. Anne's Parish, Essex county.....	1	50
	By Grace church, Alexandria.....	4	29
	By Christ church, Winchester.....	26	85

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

19—By Theological Seminary Mission.....	6 50
By St. Paul's church, Ivey Depot	2 20
By Emmanuel church, Greenwood.....	2 25
By Pohick and Olivette churches, Truro Parish	2 10
By St. James' church, Richmond	33 66
By St. Paul's church, Richmond	84 27
By St. Peter's church, Washington Parish	1 00
26—By St. Paul's church, Culpeper.....	5 00
By Christ church, Ridley Parish	2 14
9—By St. John's church, West Point	3 00
By St. Paul's church, King George county	1 50
By Christ church, Charlottesville.....	19 91
4—By Grace and Trinity churches, Fauquier county	15 00
By Bloomfield Parish, Rappahannock county.....	2 86
By St. Paul's church, Alexandria	10 00
By All Saints' church, Richmond.....	41 37
By Emmanuel church, Henrico county.....	184 92
By St. Mark's church, Richmond.....	3 57
7—By St. Paul's church, Mathias Point	2 50
By Westover Parish, Charles City county.....	6 17
By J. M. Ball, Secretary and Treasurer, interest on bonds &c	631 54
8—By interest on deposit in City Bank to date.....	27 39
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	\$3,033 02
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1—To cash paid, first half of appropriation, as follows:

No. 1, Children of Rev. J. C. Hobson.....	\$100 00
2, Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	75 00
3, Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe	50 00
4, Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.....	37 50
5, Mrs. John P. McGuire	37 50
6, Mrs. M. B. Ward.....	37 50
7, Mrs. E. B. McGuire	30 00
8, Mrs. Philip Slaughter.....	37 50
9, Miss Lucy W. Pendleton.....	50 00
10, Miss Mina Dashiell	75 00
11, Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	50 00
12, Mrs. Kinloch Nelson.....	50 00
13, Mrs. H. Suter.....	50 00

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Treasurer's Account, Widow's and Orphan's Fund.

Dec. 1—To cash paid, second half of appropriation, as follows:

No. 13½, Children of Rev. J. C. Hobson.....	100 00
14, Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	75 00
15, Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe.....	50 00
16, Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.....	37 50
17, Mrs. John P. McGuire.....	37 50
18, Mrs. M. B. Ward.....	37 50
19, Mrs. E. B. McGuire.....	30 00
20, Mrs. Philip Slaughter.....	37 50
21, Miss Mina Dashiell.....	75 00
22, Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	50 00
23, Mrs. Kinloch Nelson.....	50 00
24, Mrs. H. Suter.....	50 00

1897.

\$1,310 00

May 8—To balance on hand in City Bank of Richmond, Va.,
as per bank deposit-book

1,723 02

\$3,033 02

SECURITIES HELD IN TRUST BY THE VIRGINIA TRUST CO.

Petersburg R. R. Class "B" bonds, 6%.....	\$4,000
Georgia Mid. R. R. 1st mortgage bonds, 3%.....	8,000
Char., C. and Augusta 2d mortgage bonds, 7%.....	1,000
Sloss Iron and Steel Co. 1st mortgage bonds, 6%.....	1,000
City of Richmond bonds, 6%.....	600
	<u>\$14,600</u>

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. ADDISON, *Treasurer.*

May 20, 1897.

We have examined the within account, and find the same correct, and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

WILLIAM H. PALMER,
THOMAS POTTS,
CURTIS BOSSIELL,
Auditing Committee.

ED, in account with JAMES M. BALL, Treasurer.

Balance on hand..	\$140 54
Dividend City Bank.	7 50
Interest City R'd Bond.	10 00
Interest S. Side R. Bond.	15 00
By coup's Randolph Macon College	55 00
By Pb'g R. R. coup's.	60 00
By Atlanta and C. R.	15 00
By Div. City Bank	7 50
By Interest City Rd. bond.	10 00
By Interest S. Side R. bond.	15 00
2—By coup's Randolph Macon College.	55 00
2—By Atlanta and C. R.	15 00
By Pb'g R. R. coup's.	60 00
By Interest on deposit in Va. Trust Co.	10 54
1—To d'ft Bishop Whittle, for Rev. H. B. Lee.	70 00
7—To p'd Va. Trust. Co., for care of securities.	25 00
1—To d'ft Bishop Whittle, for Rev. H. B. Lee.	120 00
Balance on hand.	261 08
	<u>\$476 08</u>
	<u>\$476 08</u>

ities held in trust by Virginia Trust Co.

urg R. R. Class "B" 6%	2,000 00
and Charlotte R'd Income bond.	500 00
e R. R., 35, preferred, 6%.	500 00
te Agl. and M. So., 1st Mtg., 6%	1,000 00
ph Macon College bonds, 5½%	2,000 00
Richmond, 5% bond, 5%	400 00
as City Bank of Richmond; par 25.	250 00
	<u>\$6,650 00</u>

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. BALL.

ave examined the within account, and find the same correct.

WM. H. PALMER,
THOMAS POTTS,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Auditing Committee.

EPISCOPAL FUND, *in account with C. C. BAUGHMAN, Treasurer.*

1896.		
May	1—By balance on hand.....	597 05
July	1— Interest Chr. and R. bond.	60 00
	Virginia bond.....	15 00
	City Alexandria.....	29 21
Sept.	1— Va. Mid. R. R.....	34 00
1897.		
Jan.	2— Va. bond.....	25 00
	Chr. and R. bond.....	60 00
	City Alexandria.....	29 19
March	— Va. Mid. R. R.....	34 00
April	3— on deposit in Va. Trust Co.....	10 54
Jan.	—By Chr. and R. bond redeemed.....	500 00
1896.		
July	18—To purchase 1,000 Va. New 3% bond @ .57..	570 00
Aug.	— pd. Va. Trust. Co., for care of securities,	25 00
	Balance on hand.....	798 99
		<u>\$1,393 99</u>
		<u>\$1,393 99</u>

Memo. of securities held by the Va. Trust Co., for account of the Episcopal Fund.

Virginia Mid. R. R., 2d series 6% bond.....	200 00
Virginia Mid. R. R., 3d series 6% bond.....	100 00
Virginia Mid. R. R., 5th series 6% bond.....	1,000 00
Char. and R. R. R., 1st Mtg., 5% bond.....	1,500 00
City of Alexandria 3.65% bond.....	1,600 00
Virginia 3%.....	1,000 00
Virginia Century.....	1,000 00
	<u>\$6,400 00</u>

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. BAUGHMAN, *Treasurer.*

We have examined the within account, and find the same correct.

WM. H. PALMER,
 THOMAS POTTS,
 CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Auditing Committee.

STATEMENT.

Bethany Institute, in account with ROSEWELL PAGE, Treasurer.

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1897.

May 15—By amount in hands of Rosewell Page, Treasurer, May 15, 1896, according to statement forwarded to you May 18, 1896	\$720 08
By amount interest allowed by City Bank to December 31, 1896	26 99
By amount interest estimated by City Bank to May 15, 1897	9 90
By amount deposited so as to bear interest.	26 99
	<u>\$784 06</u>

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1897.

May 15—To check drawn and deposited so as to bear interest (<i>contra</i>)	\$ 26 99
To balance in name of the Treasurer (Rosewell Page, Treasurer) on deposit in the City Bank, Richmond, Va., which, except \$9.90, bears 4% interest.	757 07
	<u>\$784 06</u>

This statement is made up from the bank-book of Rosewell Page, Treasurer, which has been written up as of this date.

ROSEWELL PAGE,
Treasurer of Bethany Institute.

May 17, 1897.

To Bishop F. M. WHITTLE, City:

DEAR SIR,—Above I enclose you statement showing the condition of the Bethany Institute Fund, of which I am Treasurer.

Very sincerely yours,

ROSEWELL PAGE, *Treasurer.*

Treasurer's Account,

THE CONTINGENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,

In account with R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE, Treasurer.

1896.		
May 11—	By Balance on hand this date.	696 95
June 15—	amounts received subsequently.....	7,410 59
	Less amounts erroneously credited in this amount, which had been previously cred- ited in my statement under date of May 11, 1896.....	24 73
		7,385 86
15—30—	By Richmond, Lunenburg, St. John's....	3 00
	Fairfax, Upper Truro, St. Timothy.....	1 00
	Caroline, Grace.....	20 00
	Albemarle, Edge Hill Memorial.....	18 00
	Fairfax, Theo. Seminary.....	2 00
July 3—24—	Loudoun, John's, Church of Our Re- deemer.....	4 00
	Hanover, St. Martin's.....	3 00
	Hanover, St. Paul's.....	4 00
	Fauquier, Leeds.....	8 00
	Caroline, Grace.....	2 00
Aug. 1—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, returned out of salary.....	125 00
12—	Warren, St. Thomas, Calvary.....	57 50
27—	Albemarle, Walkers, Grace.....	6 00
Sept. 23—	Fauquier, Leeds.....	2 00
Nov. 3—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, returned out of salary.....	125 00
Dec. 17—	Albemarle, St. Ann's, Christ.....	3 00
1897.		
Jan. 8—	Dividend, 1% on 29 shares So. R. R., preferred stock.....	29 00
20—	Greenville, from Rev. G. W. Phelps in 1891.....	2 00
Feb. 1—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, returned out of salary.....	125 00
May 1—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, returned out of salary.....	125 00
15	Interest on deposits at City Bank.....	68 61
		<u>\$8,815 92</u>

Contingent Fund.

1896.

May 16—	To Bishop J. B. Newton, salary to June 16	250 00	
	To Bishop J. B. Newton, rent to June 1.....	50 00	
	To Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date	<u>27 75</u>	327 75
	Rev. Everard Meade, expenses to Council		10 00
23—	R. S. Chamberlayne, expenses to Council		8 65
	Rev. W. C. Latané, salary as assistant secretary		25 00
26—	Sexton at Council, for services rendered		15 00
	Rev. Everard Meade, on account of salary		100 00
29—	R. A. Siewers, bill for repairs to Bishop's residence		86 55
	Rev. W. M. Clark, six months salary	50 00	
	Rev. W. M. Clark, expenses to date.....	6 00	56 00
30—	Hetzer and Gansert, painting Bishop's residence		105 40
June 5—	Wm. Ellis Jones on account of Journals,		200 00
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to July 16.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to July 1.....	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton expenses	<u>13 15</u>	313 15
17—	Rev. P. P. Phillips, iron safe, &c		38 75
19—	Hunter & Co., stationery for Secretary,		4 80
30—	Chamberlayne, R. S., on account of salary.....		50 00
July 16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to August 16	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to August 1	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date.....	<u>19 64</u>	319 64

Treasurer's Account,

July	24—	Wm. Ellis Jones, in full for Journals.....	\$181 00	
		Wm. Ellis Jones, in full for expressage, &c.....	50 00	
			<hr/>	231 00
Aug.	1—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary first quarter.....	\$750 00	
		Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses to date.....	27 85	
			<hr/>	777 85
	16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to September 16.....	\$250 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, rent to September 1.....	50 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date.....	6 85	
			<hr/>	306 85
Sept.	17—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to October 16.....	\$250 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, rent to October 1.....	50 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, expenses.....	15 32	
			<hr/>	315 32
	24—	R. S. Chamberlayne, salary in full.....	50 00	
Octo.	9—	Rev. R. A. Goodwin, salary to October 1, 1896.....	\$100 00	
		Rev. R. A. Goodwin, expenses.....	4 99	
			<hr/>	104 99
	16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to November 16.....	\$250 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, rent to November 1.....	50 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date.....	10 05	
			<hr/>	310 05
Nov.	3—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary second quarter.....	\$750 00	
		Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses.....	4 00	
			<hr/>	754 00
	5—	Rev. Everard Meade on account.....	50 00	
	16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to December 16.....	\$250 00	

Contingent Fund.

v. 26—	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to December 1.	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date.	19 75	319 75
c. 2—	Rev. W. M. Clark, salary in full	\$50 00	
	Rev. W. M. Clark, expenses,	6 00	56 00
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to January 16, 1897....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to January 1, 1897.....	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date.....	18 42	318 42
17—	Rev. Everard Meade, salary in full.....	50 00	
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'y 16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to February 16....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to February 1	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to January 16... ..	2 00	302 00
'y 1—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, third quarter's salary.....	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses.. ..	8 50	758 50
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to March 16.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to March 1.....	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date... ..	1 50	301 50
4—	Hunter & Co., stationery for the Secretary.....		8 00
16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to April 16.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, rent to April 1.....	50 00	
	Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date.....	14 09	314 09

Treasurer's Account, Contingent Fund.

		Amount brought forward.....		\$8,815 92
Apl.	16—	Bishop John B. Newton, salary to May 16,.....	\$250 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, rent to May 1.....	50 00	
		Bishop John B. Newton, expenses to date	18 90	
				318 90
	20—	Wm. Ellis Jones, 500 parish treasurers' reports		3 50
May	1—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, fourth quarter's salary.....	\$750 00	
		Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses	5 00	
				755 00
	12—	Everard Meade, expressage on books from Secretary of General Convention,	1 00	
	15—	Stamps, &c., for Treasurer.....	2 92	
				\$8,070 33
				<u>\$8,070 33</u>
		By balance on hand and in City Bank.....		<u>\$745 59</u>

MEMORANDUM.

So. R. R. Co. preferred stock, twenty-nine shares, par value... \$2,900 00
 Due by estate W. R. Quarles, dividend Geo. Pac. stock, 1892.. 125 00

E. & O. E.

*R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE,
 Treasurer Diocese of Virginia.*

May 15, 1897.



RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1897.

			Treasurer's Account,		
COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount Paid.	Delinquency this year.
Albemarle.....	Fredericksville	Buck Mountain	76	\$39 00	\$37 00
"	"	St. Paul's.....			
"	"	St. John the Baptist Chapel			
"	"	Christ		255 00	
"	"	Edge Hill.....	30	12 00	18 00
"	"	St. Luke's.....			
"	Greenwood	Emmanuel.....	31	31 00	
"	Walker's.....	Grace	113	56 75	56 25
"	St. Anne's.....	Christ	12	12 00	
"	"	St. John's.....	34	20 00	14 00
Alexandria.....	Fairfax.....	Christ.....	270	270 00	
"	"	St. Paul's.....	285	285 00	
"	"	Grace	142	58 35	83 65
"	"	Meade Chapel (Colored)			
Caroline.....	Drysdale.....	St. Margaret's Chapel	26	7 00	19 00
"	St. Mary's.....	St. Peter's.....	47	36 00	11 00
"	"	Grace	36	18 50	17 50
Charles City.....	Westover.....	Mapsico.....	61	43 50	17 50
"	"	Westover			
"	"	Grace			
Clarke.....	Cunningham Chapel	Christ	177	106 75	70 25
"	"	Emmanuel Chap'l.			
"	"	Old Chapel			
"	Clarke	Grace	203	115 00	88 00

			Contingent Fund.			
Clarke.	Wickliffe.	Wickliffe.	47	25 00	22 00	
"	Greenway Court.	Meade Memorial		33 75		
Culpeper	St. Mark's	St. Stephen's		152 00		
"	"	Little Fork				
"	Ridley.	Christ		45 00		
"	"	St. Paul's		35 00		
"	"	Calvary.		8 00		
"	Slaughter.	Emmanuel	55	55 00		
Essex	St. Anne's	All Saint's Chapel	28	16 00	12 00	
"	"	Vauter's		24 00		
"	"	St. Matthews		4 00		
"	South Farnham.	St. Paul's.	38	23 85	14 15	
"	"	St. John's	52	30 17	21 83	
"	"	St. Luke's.	26	26 00		
Fairfax	Truro	Zion	61	47 50	13 50	
"	"	The Good Shepherd.	18	12 00	6 00	
"	"	Pohick.	81	36 50	44 50	
"	"	Olivet	16	9 00	7 00	
"	Upper Truro.	Christ		23 00	7 00	
"	"	St. John's.	30	36 01	25 99	
"	"	St. Timothy's.	62			
"	Fairfax.	The Falls.		66 50	36 50	
"	"	Vienna Mission.	103			
"	"	St. John's.		26 40		
"	"	Theological Seminary Chapel.				
"	"	Trinity Chapel.				
"	"	St. Paul's Chapel.				
"	"	The Good Shepherd (Colored)				
"	"	St. John's, West End				
"	Centreville.	St. John's.				
Fauquier	Hamilton.	St. James	134	134 00		
"	"	Chapel (Baldwin's Ridge)				
"	Cedar Run.	St. Stephen's	24	15 00	9 00	
"	Leed's	Leed's		36 00		
"	"	Rethel Mission				
"	Meade.	Trinity.	63	44 00	19 00	

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1897.

Treasurer's Account.						
COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount Paid.	Delinquency this year.	
Fauquier	Whittle	Church of Our Saviour.....	30	\$30 00	.....
"	"	Trinity.....	105	105 00	.....
"	"	Grace.....			.....
"	"	Whittle Chapel.....			.....
"	Piedmont	Emmanuel.....	56	2 00	.....
"	Emmanuel	Grace.....	44	38 00	\$18 00	
"	"	St. Luke's.....	57	23 00	21 00	
Fluvanna	Rivanna	St. John's.....	200	15 00	42 00	
"	"	Grace.....	.....	8 00	.....
Frederick	Frederick	Christ.....	.....	200 00	.....
"	St. Thomas	St. Thomas'.....	.....	10 00	.....
Gloucester	Abingdon	Abingdon.....	.....	39 00	.....
"	"	Holy Innocents' Chapel.....	78	46 50	31 50	
"	Ware	Ware.....			
Goochland	St. James' Northam	St. Paul's.....			
"	"	All Saints'.....	.....	9 00	.....
"	"	Grace.....	.....	25 00	.....
"	"	St. Mary's.....	.....	9 00	.....
Hanover	St. Martin's	Fork.....	97	46 50	50 50	
"	"	St. Martin's.....			
"	"	Trinity.....			
"	"	Church of Our Saviour.....			
"	St. Paul's	Emmanuel.....				36	17 00	19 00
"	"	St. Paul's.....	30	20 00	10 00	

Contingent Fund.				
Hanover	Ashland	St. James'	35 00	.....
Henrico	Henrico	St. John's	275 53	.....
"	"	Weddell Memorial Chapel.	229 25	.....
"	"	Chapel of Good Shepherd (Colored).	505 00	.....
"	"	Monumental.	60 65	.....
"	"	St. Paul's	450 00	.....
"	"	St. Andrew's	231	.....
"	"	St. James'	49 90	.....
"	"	Christ	312 00	.....
"	"	Grace	100 00	.....
"	"	St. Mark's	277	.....
"	"	Holy Trinity	354	.....
"	"	All Saint's	315 00	.....
"	"	Emmanuel	122	.....
"	"	St. Phillip's (Colored)	.....	.....
"	"	St. Luke's	.....	.....
"	"	Epiphany at Barton Heights	65 00	.....
King George	St. Paul's	St. Paul's	38 00	.....
"	Hanover	St. John's	25 10	.....
"	"	Emmanuel	17 00	.....
"	Brunswick	Lamb's Creek	.....	.....
King & Queen	St. Stephen's	Immanuel Chapel	8 34	.....
King William	St. David's	St. David's	29 00	.....
"	St. John's	St. John's	10 00	.....
Lancaster	Christ Church	Christ	14 00	.....
"	"	White Chapel	.....	.....
"	"	Grace	39 00	68 00
"	"	Trinity	.....	.....
Loudoun	Shelbourne	St. Paul's	37 00	21 00
"	"	Mount Calvary	8 00	18 00
"	"	Christ	16 00	5 00
"	"	St. James'	.....	.....
"	"	Belmont Chapel	.....	.....
"	"	Church of Our Saviour	.....	.....
"	John's	Emmanuel	19 00	3 00
"	"	Church of the Redeemer	34 00	10 00

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1897.

			Treasurer's Account,		
COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount Paid.	Delinquency this year.
Louisa..	Green Spring..	St. John's and Chapel.....	23	\$15 00	\$8 00
"	Trinity.....	St. James'.....	41	17 25	23 75
Madison	Bromfield.....	Piedmont.....		8 00	
Mathews	".....	Christ.....		40 00	
"	Kingston.....	Trinity.....		10 00	
Middlesex	Christ Church.....	Christ.....	25	25 00	
New Kent...	St. Peter's.....	St. Peter's.....		6 00	
Northumberland..	Wicomico.....	Wicomico.....	20	14 00	6 00
"	St. Stephen's.....	St. Stephen's.....	14	4 00	10 00
Orange.....	St. Thomas'.....	St. Thomas'.....	103	103 00	
"	".....	Christ.....	70	38 50	31 50
"	".....	St. Paul's Chapel (Colored).....			
Page..	Luray.....	Barbour Memorial.....	20	13 00	7 00
"	".....	Christ.....		5 00	
Prince William	Dettingen.....	Calvary.....		11 00	
"	".....	St. James'.....			
"	".....	Trinity.....	91	54 00	37 00
"	".....	Quantico.....			
"	Haymarket.....	St. Paul's.....	150	78 00	72 00
Rappahannock	Bloomfield.....	Grace Chapel.....		3 00	
"	".....	St. Paul's.....	27	16 00	11 00
Richmond..	Lunenburg.....	Trinity.....	42	33 00	9 00
"	N. Farnham.....	St. John's.....		54 00	
		Emmanuel.....		27	

		Contingent Fund.	
Rockingham.....	Rockingham.....	Emmanuel.....	59 00
Shenandoah.....	Beckford.....	Grace Memorial.....	15 00
Spotsylvania.....	St. George's.....	St. Andrew's.....	79
".....	".....	Emmanuel.....	28 00
".....	".....	St. George's.....	260
Stafford.....	Berkeley.....	Trinity.....	260 00
Warren.....	Overwharton.....	St. George's Chapel.....	58 50
Westmoreland.....	St. Thomas.....	Christ.....	
".....	Washington.....	Aquia.....	22 00
".....	Cople.....	Clifton Chapel.....	
".....	".....	Calvary.....	75
".....	Montross.....	St. Peter's.....	42 00
".....	".....	Payne's Chapel.....	43 00
".....	".....	Nominy.....	
".....	".....	Yeocomico.....	100
".....	".....	Cople Chapel.....	70 50
".....	".....	St. James'.....	29 50
".....	".....	St. Paul's Chapel.....	10 50
			\$7,309 45

R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE, *Treasurer.*

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CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

John T. Antrim, Treasurer—P. O., Charlottesville.

Baptisms: adults white 10, infants white 8, total 18. Confirmations: white 16. Communicants: formerly reported white 381, added white 47 (of which by transfer 23), total 47; aggregate 428; removed 38, died 8, total 46; present number 382. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 18. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 15, scholars 72, total 87. Contributions, \$94.07. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of the Brotherhood, 27. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 12. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 87.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,070 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	3,361 93
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$35.17 from mite boxes)	100 00
Education Society,	19 40
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	19 91
Disabled Clergy,	33 29
Brotherhood,	24 20
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	33 68
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	293 00
General—Foreign Missions,	140 00
Other general objects,	203 01
Total	\$6,298 42

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ST. LUKE'S CHAPEL, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Miss Julia Macon, Treasurer—P. O., Simeon.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: present number 21. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 50, total 58. Contributions, \$6.00.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$ 25 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	162 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	10 65
Total,	.	<u>\$197 65</u>

EDGE HILL MEMORIAL CHAPEL, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Miss E. M. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Shadwell.

Communicants: present number 30. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 82, total 90. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$22 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	40 05
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6.10 from mite boxes),	.	13 36
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	18 00
Total,	.	<u>\$93 91</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

Mr. John Greaves, Treasurer—P. O., Ivy Depot.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 4, total 5. Confirmations:

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white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 93, added white 8 (of which by transfer 5), total 101; removed 25, present number 76. Marriages: white 6, colored 2, total 8. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 37, total 41. Contributions, \$8.25.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$320 82
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	58 80
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$9.87 from mite boxes),	24 87
Education Society,	3 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 25
Disabled Clergy,	2 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	39 00
General—Other general objects,	14 00
Total,	\$464 99

EMMANUEL CHURCH, GREENWOOD PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

Robert W. Kyle, Treasurer—P. O., Greenwood.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 31, present number 31. Marriages: white 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 11.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$202 35
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	14 20
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$1.50 from mite boxes),	18 70
Widow's and Orphans' Fund,	2 25
Disabled Clergy,	2 25
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	4 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	31 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 50
Other general objects,	80
Total,	\$278 55

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GRACE CHURCH, WALKER'S PARISH.

Rev. EDW. VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont.

W. E. Money, Treasurer—P. O., Cismont.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 111, colored 1, total 112; added 7 (of which by transfer 5) total 119; removed 2, withdrawn 1, and 2, total 5; present number 114. Marriages: white 4, colored 1, total 5. Funerals: white 5. Sunday schools: white teachers 13, scholars 120, total 133; colored teachers 2, scholars 50, total 52. Contributions, \$25.00. Number of catechisings, 20. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 6. Members of Woman's Auxiliary,

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$644 46
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	192 15
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$22.31 from mite boxes)	79 00
Education Society,	12 20
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 20
Disabled Clergy,	15 50
Brotherhood,	3 30
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	3 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	65 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	29 50
General—Foreign Missions,	103 70
Domestic Missions,	11 00
Virginia Bible Society,	4 51
Other general objects,	57 15
Total,	<u>\$1,223 17</u>

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

W. Gordon Merrick, Treasurer—P. O., Glendower.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, removed 7, present number 12. Marriages: white 1.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$165 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	20
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	10 04
Education Society, . . .	7 02
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	12 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	10 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$204 26</u>

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST'S CHAPEL, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

Baptisms: adults 4, infants 8, total 12. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: present number 22. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 50, total 53. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Current expenses, . . .	\$20 00
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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

T. G. Griffin, Treasurer—P. O., Scottsville.

Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 34, added white 13, total 47; removed 12, present number 35. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$104 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	71 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2 from mite boxes), . . .	9 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$189 50</u>

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BUCK MOUNTAIN CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

(Vacant.)

J. W. Huff, Treasurer—P. O., Earleysville.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 35, present number 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$36 00
Diocesan—Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	15 50
Total,	.	<u>\$57 50</u>

ALEXANDRIA COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. BERRYMAN GREEN, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

G. Wm. Ramsay, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: infants white 14. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 268, added white 17 (of which by transfer 3), total 285; removed 11, died 4, total 15; present number 270. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 28. Sunday-schools: white teachers 21, scholars 220, total 241. Contributions, \$196.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of the Brotherhood, 13. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 18. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 60.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$2,894 95
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	1,787 05
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	211 02
Education Society,	.	175 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	35 00
Disabled Clergy,	.	35 00
Brotherhood,	.	13 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	25 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	268 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	75 00

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General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	276	45
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	253	08
Other general objects,	.	.	.	532	29
Total,	.	.	.	\$6,580	84

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. P. P. PHILLIPS, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

J. R. Zimmerman, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: infants white 19. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 275, added white 32 (of which by transfer 12), total 307; removed 14, died 8, total 22; present number 285. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 27. Sunday-schools: white teachers 35, scholars 246, total 281. Members of the Brotherhood, 18. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	.	\$2,922	00
Other objects including incidental expenses,	.	.	.	1,053	31
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$85.00 from mite boxes)	.	.	.	302	50
Education Society,	.	.	.	130	73
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	.	10	00
Disabled Clergy,	.	.	.	128	00
Brotherhood,	.	.	.	19	80
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.	.	18	05
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	.	.	275	00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	.	.	20	00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	115	15
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	40	43
Other general objects,	.	.	.	1,413	92
Total,	.	.	.	\$6,448	89

GRACE CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. CLARENCE ERNEST BALL, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

Frank T. King, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 10, total 15. Confirma-

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s: white 12. Communicants: added white 13, died 3, present number 142. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 13. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 20, scholars 155, total 175. Contributions, \$85. Number of scholars confirmed, 4. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 18. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 37.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,079 33
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	211 31
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5.78 from mite boxes),	17 11
Education Society,	6 28
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 29
Disabled Clergy,	4 84
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	62 25
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	75 00
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions,	47 50
Other general objects,	2 48
Total,	<u>\$1,510 39</u>

CAROLINE COUNTY.

ST PETER'S CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

William T. Pratt, Treasurer—P. O., Port Royal.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white added white 1, total 50; died 3, present number 47. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$239 80
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	154 10
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	37 39
Education Society,	2 80
Disabled Clergy,	2 41
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	1 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	37 25
General—Foreign Missions,	9 40
Other general objects,	13 68
Total,	<u>\$497 88</u>

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GRACE CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

Dr. C. B. Morton, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 40, added white 1, total 41; removed 2, withdrawn 1, died 2, total 5; present number 36. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$150 33
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	4 14
Education Society,	.	2 80
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 41
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	1 18
General—Foreign Missions,	.	4 33
Total,	.	<u>\$165 19</u>

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH, DRYSDALE PARISH.

Rev. W. B. WILLIAMS, Minister in charge.

Post-office—Richmond.

James Hunter, Treasurer—P. O., Ruther Glen.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 20, added white 6, total 26; present number 26. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	20 00
Diocesan—Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	13 00
General—Domestic Missions,	.	7 51
Total,	.	<u>\$140 51</u>

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CHARLES CITY COUNTY.

WESTOVER, MAPSICO, AND GRACE CHURCHES, WESTOVER PARISH.

Rev. JNO. C. CORNICK, Rector.

Post-office—Westover.

John A. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Westover.

Baptisms: infants white 8. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 61, added white 1, total 62; died 1; present number 61. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 18, total 23. Contributions: \$1.50. Number of scholars confirmed 1. Members of the Brotherhood, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$600 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	8 11
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$8.60 from mite boxes),	25 98
Education Society,	26 43
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	6 17
Disabled Clergy,	10 78
Brotherhood,	6 60
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	56 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 00
General—Foreign Missions,	71 00
Domestic Missions,	15 00
Other general objects,	3 00
Total,	<u>\$836 07</u>

CLARKE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, CUNNINGHAM CHAPEL PARISH.

Rev. J. COURTNEY JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Millwood.

T. M. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Millwood.

Baptisms: infants white 2, colored 2, total 4. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 161, colored 7, total 168; added white 16, aggregate 184; died 5, present number 179. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 15,

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scholars 127, total 142; colored, teachers 6, scholars 70, total 76. Contributions, \$27.33. Number of catechisings, 10. Number of scholars confirmed, 7. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$983 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	162 10
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$27.33 from mite boxes)	29 33
Education Society,	37 10
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 49
Disabled Clergy,	8 65
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	83 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	107 45
General—Foreign Missions,	96 14
Domestic Missions,	9 80
Other general objects,	3 00
Total,	\$1,524 06

GRACE CHURCH, CLARKE PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD WALL, Rector.

Post-office—Berryville.

R. R. Smith, Treasurer—P. O., Berryville.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 202, added white 13, total 215; removed 9, died 3, total 12; present number 203. Marriages: white 3, colored 1, total 4. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 9, scholars 75, total 84. Contributions, \$16. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,403 46
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	751 35
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$38.42 from mite boxes)	61 93
Education Society,	11 75
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	14 79
Disabled Clergy,	25 09
Brotherhood,	5 50
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	61 61

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Contingent Fund, paid last year,	137	25
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	41	24
General—Foreign Missions,	13	52
Domestic Missions,	13	07
Total,	\$2,540	56

WICKLIFFE CHURCH, WICKLIFFE PARISH.

Rev. P. D. THOMPSON, Rector.

Post-Office—Wickliffe.

E. J. Smith, Treasurer—P. O., Wickliffe.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 47; present number 47. Marriages: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Funerals: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions, \$4.00. Members of the Brotherhood, 7. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 18.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$426	00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	62	00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$18.80 from mite boxes)	18	80
Education Society,	13	24
Brotherhood,	7	70
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	3	00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	24	00
General—Foreign Missions,	20	00
Total,	\$574	74

MEADE MEMORIAL CHURCH, GREENWAY COURT PARISH.

Rev. E. A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-office—Front Royal.

Capt. David Meade, Treasurer—P. O., White Post.

Baptisms: adults white 11, infants white 1, total 12. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 33, added white 14 (of which by transfer 1), total 47; removed 1, suspended 1, total 2; present number 45. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Contributions, \$14.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 8.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$135 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	150 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	5 60
Education Society,	.	10 78
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	28 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	6 62
Total,	.	<u>\$340 92</u>

 CULPEPER COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH AND ST. MARK'S CHAPEL, ST. MARK'S PARISH.

Rev. E. L. GOODWIN, Rector.

Post-office—Culpeper.

R. C. Vass, Treasurer—P. O., Culpeper.

Baptisms: adults white 7, infants white 5, total 12. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 132, colored 1, total 133; added white 24 (of which by transfer 6), aggregate 157; removed 3, died 1, total 4; present number 153. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white teachers 16, scholars 130, total 146. Contributions, \$59.15. Number of catechisings, 30. Number of scholars confirmed, 7. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 10. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 52.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$987 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	497 27
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$42.15 from mite boxes)	.	79 15
Education Society,	.	20 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	10 75
Disabled Clergy,	.	10 00
Brotherhood,	.	1 10
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	8 60
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	132 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	.	26 00

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General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	51	30
Domestic Missions,	15	00
Other general objects,	.	.	.	23	60
Total,	.	.	.	\$1,861	77

CHRIST CHURCH, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

C. W. Spindle, Treasurer—P. O., Brandy Station.

Baptisms: adults white 3. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 61, added white 6, total 67; present number 67. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Contributions, \$12. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 7. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	.	\$279	02
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	.	124	30
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10 from mite boxes),	.	.	.	34	85
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	.	3	36
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	.	43	50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	.	.	5	00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	.	39	31
Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	8	00
Total,	.	.	.	\$537	34

ST. PAUL'S AND CALVARY CHURCHES, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

J. J. Roberts, Treasurer—P. O., Raccoon Ford.

Communicants: formerly reported white 56, removed 1, present number 55. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 2.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$368 45
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	35 57
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10 from mite boxes),	40 15
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	5 00
Disabled Clergy, .	5 00
Brotherhood, .	2 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	48 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	12 00
General—Foreign Missions, .	10 00
Other general objects, .	6 66
Total, .	<u>\$532 93</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. PARNELL LEB. CROSS, Rector.

Post-Office—Rapidan.

Charles C. Conway, M. D., Treasurer—P. O., Rapidan.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 4, total 6. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 51, colored 1, total 52; added white 4; aggregate 56; died 1; present number, 55. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3, colored 2, total 5. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34; colored teachers 1, scholars 98, total 99. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 3. Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 4. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$591 54
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	181 45
Diocesan—Missionary Society, .	32 65
Education Society, .	28 72
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, .	10 56
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	11 85
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	52 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	15 00
General—Other general objects, .	174 86
Total, .	<u>\$1,098 63</u>

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ALL SAINTS' MEMORIAL CHAPEL, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. P. LEB. CROSS, Rector.

Post-Office—Mitchell's Station.

Thos. T. Slaughter, Treasurer—P. O., Mitchell's Station.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white (of which by transfer 1), total 30; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 28. Funerals: white 1. Sunday schools: white teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 3. Members of Woman's auxiliary, 13.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	56 12
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.15 from mite boxes),	9 23
Education Society,	10 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	16 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	25 00
Domestic Missions,	6 00
Other general objects,	5 00
Total,	\$232 35

 ESSEX COUNTY.

LAWTER'S AND ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCHES, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. D. C. T. DAVIS, Rector.

Post-office—Loretto.

Communicants: formerly reported white 54, colored 1, total 55; removed 2, present number 53. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: white 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$381 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	50 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10.19 from mite boxes)	19 66
Education Society,	7 00

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Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	1 50
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	37 50
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	3 45
Other general objects,	.	.	1 50
Total,	.	.	<hr/> \$455 21

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM J. MORTON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Dr. J. H. Latané, Treasurer—P. O., Mount Landing.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 1, total 4. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 46, added white 12 (of which by transfer 3), total 58; removed 3, died 3, total 6; present number 52. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 43, total 50. Contributions, \$8.87. Number of catechisings, 4. Number of scholars confirmed, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$200 47
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	50 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	.	7 20
Education Society,	.	.	6 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	30 17
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	17 63
Domestic Missions,	.	.	34 25
Total,	.	.	<hr/> \$345 72

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. WM. J. MORTON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Robert B. Whitlocke, Treasurer—P. O., Dunbrook.

Baptisms: infants white one. Communicants: formerly reported white 38, added white 1, aggregate 39, died 1, present number 38. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 45, total 49.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$65 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.03 from mite boxes), . . .	10 02
Education Society,	2 74
Disabled Clergy,	2 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	23 85
Total,	<u>\$103 61</u>

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. J. HERVEY HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague's.

C. B. Hundley, Treasurer—P. O., Montague's.

Communicants: formerly reported white 26, present number 26.
 Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white
 5, scholars 20, total 25. Members of the Brotherhood, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$105 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	34 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	13 00
Disabled Clergy,	2 00
Brotherhood,	1 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	30 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	2 00
Diocesan—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Virginia Bible Society,	1 00
Total,	<u>\$198 50</u>

FAIRFAX COUNTY.

ZION CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. W. H. K. PENDLETON, Minister.

Post-Office—Fairfax.

A. C. Bleight, Treasurer—P. O., Fairfax.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 4, total 7. Confirmations:
 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 74, added white

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6, total 80; removed 3, suspended 15, died 1, total 19; present number 61. Marriages: colored 2. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Contributions, \$24.34. Number of catechisings, 6. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$304 85
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	344 66
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$9.34 from mite boxes) . . .	13 72
Education Society, . . .	15 01
Widows' and Orphans Fund, . . .	6 55
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	47 50
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	7 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	7 00
Other general objects, . . .	7 77
Total, . . .	\$759 06

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. W. H. K. PENDLETON, Minister.

Post-Office—Fairfax.

Upton H. Herbert, Treasurer—P. O., Burke's Station.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants formerly reported white 18, added white 2, total 20; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 18. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 52, total 57.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, . . .	\$15 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	31 94
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	6 35
Education Society, . . .	5 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	12 00
General—Other general objects, . . .	3 25
Total, . . .	\$74 04

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POHICK CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KLOMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Springman.

Dr. N. B. Nevitt, Treasurer—P. O., Accotink.

Baptisms: adults colored 1, infants white 19, total 20. Confirmations: white 5, colored 1, total 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 75, added white 5, colored 1, total 6, aggregate 81; died 1, present number 80. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 9, scholars 125, total 134. Contributions, \$55.23. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$375 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	278 35
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$28.17 from mite boxes)	.	34 07
Education Society,	.	12 23
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	1 39
Disabled Clergy,	.	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	36 50
General—Foreign Missions,	.	3 09
Domestic Missions,	.	11 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	1 24
Other general objects,	.	16 50
Total,	.	<u>\$770 87</u>

OLIVET CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KLOMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Springman.

R. W. Gaillard, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 19; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 16. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	20 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	3 06
Education Society,	.	2 81

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Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	71
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	9 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	1 40
Domestic Missions,	.	.	2 65
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	86
Other general objects,	.	.	11 07
Total,	.	.	<u>\$150 56</u>

 ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, CENTREVILLE, CHRIST CHURCH, UPPER
TRURO PARISH.

Rev JNO. J. CLOPTON, Rector.

Post-Office—Herndon.

Geo. F. Harrison, Treasurer—P. O., Chantilly.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 31, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 32; withdrawn 2; present number 30. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 35, total 41. Contributions, \$5.41.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$107 11
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	76 83
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$3.13 from mite boxes)	.	.	6 65
Education Society,	.	.	1 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	1 89
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	26 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	1 89
Domestic Missions,	.	.	3 00
Other general objects,	.	.	47
Total,	.	.	<u>\$226 84</u>

ST. TIMOTHY'S CHURCH, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. JNO. J. CLOPTON, Rector.

Post-Office—Herndon.

Thos. Thornton, Treasurer—P. O., Wiehle.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 6, total 11. Confirmations: white 16. Communicants: formerly reported white 57, added white

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total 73; removed 4, withdrawn 7, total 11; present number 62. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 55, total 60. Contributions, \$24.71. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$240 93
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	375 91
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10.09 from mite boxes)	22 09
Education Society,	1 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 70
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	39 65
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 77
General—Foreign Missions,	8 92
Domestic Missions,	2 22
Other general objects,	1 02
Total,	<hr/> \$700 71

 THE FALLS, ST. JOHN'S, AND VIENNA MISSION CHURCHES,
 FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. JOHN MCGILL, Rector.

Post-office—West End.

Bro. E. King, Wm. E. Parker, and Wm. M. Shafer, Treasurers—
 P. O., Vienna, West End, and Langley.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: present number 108. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 10, scholars 78. Contributions, \$36.16.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$953 56
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	97 72
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$21.19 from mite boxes)	48 28
Education Society,	3 50
Disabled Clergy,	11 21
Contingent Fund paid last year,	61 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	637 06
General—Foreign Missions,	62 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,874 83

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FAUQUIER COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HAMILTON PARISH.

Rev. GEO. W. NELSON, Rector.

Post-office—Warrenton.

Inman H. Payne, Treasurer—P. O., Warrenton.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 143, added white 6, total 149; removed 12, withdrawn 2, died 1, total 15; present number 134. Marriages: white 3, colored 1, total 4. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 35, total 42. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 42.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$1,642 62
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	53 74
Disabled Clergy,	.	16 73
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	143 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	9 26
Domestic Missions,	.	7 62
Other general objects,	.	106 03

Total,	.	.	.	\$2,004 00
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LEED'S CHURCH.

(No report.)

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

William Beverley, Treasurer—P. O., Broad Run.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 31, added white 5, total 36; removed 6, present number 30. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 41, total 47. Contributions, \$10.11. Number of catechisings, 3. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$205 80
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	20 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5 from mite boxes), .	12 00
Education Society,	8 00
Disabled Clergy,	7 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	31 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Other general objects,	34 00
Total,	<u>\$328 30</u>

 GRACE AND TRINITY CHURCHES, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

J. R. Foster, Treasurer—P. O., The Plains.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 108, added white 4, total 112; removed 6, died 1, total 7; present number 105. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 18, scholars 146, total 164. Contributions, \$17.26. Number of catechisings, 7. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$651 53
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	70 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$24.23 from mite boxes)	100 00
Education Society,	20 00
Widows' and Orphans, Fund,	15 00
Disabled Clergy,	10 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	108 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	40 00
General—Foreign Missions,	122 57
Other general objects,	127 00
Total,	<u>\$1,254 10</u>

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TRINITY CHURCH, MEADE PARISH.

Rev. ROBERT K. MASSIE, Rector.

Post-Office—Upperville.

W. J. Mann, Treasurer—P. O., Upperville.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 60, added white 6 (of which by transfer 1), total 66; removed 3; present number 63. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions, \$16.75.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$665 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	857 10
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$8.00 from mite boxes)	21 25
Education Society,	7 37
Disabled Clergy,	4 36
Contingent, Fund, paid last year,	42 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	10 00
General—Foreign Missions,	23 15
Virginia Bible Society,	10 00
Other general objects,	24 84
Total,	<u>\$1,665 07</u>

GRACE CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. G. O. MEAD, Rector.

Post-Office—Casanova.

W. B. Tompkins, Treasurer—P. O., Casanova.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 65; removed 8, died 1, total 9; present number 56. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 3, scholars 13, total 16. Contributions, \$16.46. Number of catechisings, 10. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 11.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$ 246 84
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	1,036 14
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$8.52 from mite boxes)	22 84
Education Society,	3 93

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Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	50
Disabled Clergy,	.	.	50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	47 31
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	.	5 20
Total,	.	.	<u>\$1,362 76</u>

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. G. O. MEAD, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

C. B. Chilton, Treasurer—P. O., Lakota.

baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 8, total 10. Confirmations: 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 39, added white 4, of which by transfer 3), total 43; present number 43. Marriages: 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 32, total 36. Contributions, \$5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$149 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	103 89
Casanova—Missionary Society (\$5 from mite boxes),	.	.	17 05
Education Society,	.	.	60
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	25 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	.	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	4 04
Total,	.	.	<u>\$304 58</u>

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, CEDAR RUN PARISH.

Rev. G. O. MEAD, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

Mr. Howson Hooe, Treasurer—P. O., Catlett.

baptisms: adults colored 3, infants colored 2, total 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 5, total 24; present number 24. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46; colored, teachers 1, scholars 8, total 9. Contributions, \$8.00. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 9.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$117 35
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	60 99
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$12.18 from mite boxes) . . .	27 77
Education Society, . . .	1 07
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	19 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	14 69
Total, . . .	<u>\$222 87</u>

EMMANUEL CHURCH, PIEDMONT PARISH.

(Vacant).

H. C. Pfeifer, Treasurer—P. O., Delaplane.

Communicants: present number 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$131 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	8 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	5 79
Disabled Clergy, . . .	80
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	3 50
Domestic Missions, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$154 09</u>

FLUVANNA COUNTY.

GRACE CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

(Vacant).

John H. Cocke, Treasurer—P. O., Bremo Bluff.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: present number 10. Marriages: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	\$13 24
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	10 50
Total, . . .	<u>\$23 74</u>

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

Geo. T. Zachary, Treasurer—P. O., Columbia.

Geo. P. Hodgson, Lay Reader.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 56, colored 1, total 57; added white 1, aggregate 58; present number 58. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 55, total 60. Contributions, \$8.64. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$143 40
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	43 61
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$6.06 from mite boxes)	14 56
Education Society, .	1 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	15 55
Total, . . .	<u>\$218 62</u>

FREDERICK COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICK PARISH.

Rev. NELSON P. DAME, Rector.

Post-office—Winchester.

Albert Baker, Treasurer—P. O., Winchester.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 7, total 11. Confirmations: white 16. Communicants: formerly reported white 204, colored 2, total 206; added white 16, aggregate 222; removed 4, withdrawn 12, suspended 4, died 2, total 22; present number 200. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white teachers 16, scholars 100, total 116. Contributions, \$64.89. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of the Brotherhood, 17. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$2,061 75
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	333 85

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$14 from mite boxes),	50 00
Education Society,	58 35
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	26 85
Disabled Clergy,	26 00
Brotherhood,	35 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	25 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	206 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	64 00
General—Foreign Missions,	250 00
Domestic Missions,	50 00
Other general objects,	23 00
Total,	<u>\$3,209 80</u>

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-office—Front Royal.

E. A. Owing, Treasurer—P. O., Middletown.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 15, added white 3, total 18; removed 2, withdrawn 3, died 1, total 6; present number 12. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . . \$100 00

GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

ABINGDON CHURCH AND HOLY INNOCENTS' CHAPEL, ABINGDON PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM B. LEE, Rector:

Post-office—Gloucester C. H.

Joshua G. Bray, Treasurer—P. O., Hay's Store.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 67, added white 2 (of which by transfer 1), total 69; removed 3, present number 66. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 31, total 35. Contributions, \$8.36. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 15.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary.	.	.	\$337 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	47 98
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.42 from mite boxes)	.	.	33 61
Education Society,	.	.	11 81
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	2 39
Disabled Clergy,	.	.	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	40 93
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	.	11 33
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	4 00
Domestic Missions,	.	.	2 00
Other general objects,	.	.	2 13
Total,	.	.	<u>\$496 68</u>

WARE CHURCH, WARE PARISH.

Rev. WM. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester.

Charles E. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Gloucester.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 5, total 6. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 73, added white 5, present number 78. Marriages: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 30, total 36. Colored teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Contributions, \$25.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of the Brotherhood, 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	.	\$380 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	.	219 70
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$13.45 from mite boxes)	.	.	40 65
Education Society,	.	.	13 56
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	.	3 33
Brotherhood,	.	.	1 10
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	.	18 36
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	.	63 30
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	.	18 36
General—Foreign Missions,	.	.	9 40
Domestic Missions,	.	.	6 00
Other general objects,	.	.	2 87
Total,	.	.	<u>\$776 63</u>

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GOOCHLAND COUNTY.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. P. R. NUGENT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John Wickham, Treasurer—P. O., Lorraine.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, died 1, present number 17. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 34, total 38. Contributions, \$23.27.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$139 63
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	10 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5.25 from mite boxes)	5 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	13 00
Total,	\$167 88

GRACE CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

Harvey Allen, Treasurer—P. O., Goochland C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 5, total 6. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 46, added white 6, total 52; removed 4, died 1, total 5; present number 47. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$330 75
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	60 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	7 00
Education Society,	3 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 83
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	2 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	25 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 50

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General—Domestic Missions,	.	.	.	5 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	.	.	2 00
Other general objects,	.	.	.	10 00
Total,	.	.	.	<u>\$458 58</u>

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, ST. JAMES—NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

James C. Goodman, Treasurer—P. O., Sabot Island.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 10, added white 1, total 11; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 7. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$15 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	12 00
Diocesan—Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	9 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	9 00
Total,	.	<u>\$45 00</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES—NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Sublett's.

John Rutherford, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: present number 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$133 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	38 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	19 00
Total,	.	<u>\$170 00</u>

 GREENE COUNTY.

(No report.)

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HANOVER COUNTY.

FORK CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 33, added white 1, total 34; died 2; present number 32. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 8, scholars 60, total 68. Contributions, \$72.43. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$150 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	66 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$14.83 from mite boxes)	20 83
Education Society,	9 00
Disabled Clergy,	3 22
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	20 00
General—Foreign Missions,	73 36
Domestic Missions,	83 90
Other general objects,	2 00
Total,	\$431 76

TRINITY CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 17 (of which by transfer 1), total 18; removed 1; present number 17. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$5.00.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Other objects, including incidental expenses,	\$10 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.42 from mite boxes)	10 31
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	12 00
Total,	\$32 31

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ST. MARTIN'S CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Miss Norma Doswell, Treasurer—P. O., Bothwell.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 21, added white 1, total 22; died 1, present number 21. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$51 57
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	86 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$1.83 from mite boxes),	7 83
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	12 00
Total,	<u>\$157 40</u>

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 26; present number 26. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 100, total 105.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$50 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	15 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.28 from mite boxes),	18 78
Education Society,	2 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	10 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	6 25
General—Foreign Missions,	50
Total,	<u>\$102 53</u>

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IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-Office—Oliver.

J. M. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Old Church.

Baptisms: adults white 6. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 36, added white 9, total 45; present number 45. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 49, total 55. Contributions, \$30.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 8. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, 18.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	60 60
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$13.75 from mite boxes) . . .	20 00
Disabled Clergy,	1 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	24 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	7 50
General—Foreign Missions,	3 00
Domestic Missions,	3 00
Virginia Bible Society,	1 00
Other general objects,	6 70
Total,	<u>\$426 80</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-Office—Oliver.

T. E. Williams, M. D., Treasurer—P. O., Peaks.

Baptisms: infants white 1, Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 30, added white 1, total 31; removed 4; present number 27; Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Contributions, \$15.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	102 50
Education Society,	1 70
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	1 00

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Contingent Fund, paid last year,	27 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Domestic Missions,	4 00
Other general objects,	2 30
Total,	<u>\$448 50</u>

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, ASHLAND PARISH.

Rev. J. W. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Ashland.

William M. Jones, Treasurer—P. O., Ashland.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: added white 1, present number 50. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34. Contributions, \$49.09. Number of catechisings, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$620 75
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	322 87
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$36.02 from mite boxes)	100 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	23 00
Total,	<u>\$1,071 62</u>

HENRICO COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH, INCLUDING WEDDELL CHAPEL AND CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

Rev. R. A. GOODWIN, Rector.

Rev. J. H. BIRCKHEAD, Assistant Minister.

Post-office—Richmond.

John F. Mayer, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 13; infants white 21, colored 2, total 23; aggregate 36. Confirmations: white 37, colored 3, total 40. Communicants: formerly reported white 482, colored 1, total 483; added

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white 57 (of which by transfer 9), colored 3, total 60; aggregate 543; removed 6, withdrawn 4, dropped 17, died 15, total 42; present number 501. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 38. Sunday-schools: white teachers 62, scholars 503, total 565; colored teachers 12, scholars 61, total 73. Contributions, \$359.11. Number of catechisings, 110. Number of scholars confirmed, 12. Members of the Brotherhood, 15. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 22. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 110.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,515 05
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2,671 80
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$75 from mite boxes),	157 48
Education Society,	20 94
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	18 03
Disabled Clergy,	22 68
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	25 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	215 40
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	22 35
General—Foreign Missions,	274 81
Domestic Missions,	110 50
Virginia Bible Society,	6 50
Other general objects,	11 71
Total,	\$6,072 25

THE MONUMENTAL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. FENNER S. STICKNEY, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John M. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 5, total 10. Confirmations: white 20. Communicants: formerly reported white 378, added white 36 (of which by transfer 16), total 414; withdrawn 1, died 8, total 9; present number 405. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white teachers 27, scholars 179, total 206. Contributions, \$72.74. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 37. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 64.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$3,010 00
Other objects including incidental expenses,	1,061 73

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$81.29 from mite boxes)	190 26
Education Society,	24 60
Disabled Clergy,	13 73
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	96 12
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	223 75
General—Foreign Missions,	56 95
Domestic Missions,	213 27
Virginia Bible Society,	5 71
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Total,	\$4,896 12

 ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. HARTLEY CARMICHAEL, Rector.

Rev. FRANK RIDOUT, Assistant.

Post-office—Richmond.

B. Rand. Wellford, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 20, total 22. Confirmations: white 26. Communicants: formerly reported white 498, added white 33 (of which by transfer 7), total 531; removed 17, withdrawn 4, died 5, total 26; present number 505. Marriages: white 9. Funerals: white 17. Sunday-schools: white teachers 50, scholars 457, total 507. Contributions, \$316. Number of scholars confirmed, 15. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 56.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$9,009 37
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	8,957 94
Diocesan—Missionary Society(\$240 from mite boxes)	500 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	84 27
Disabled Clergy,	117 65
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	498 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese,	882 99
General—Foreign Missions,	87 99
Domestic Missions,	56 50
Other general objects,	147 00
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Total	\$20,341 71

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. W. M. CLARK, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

James R. Gordon, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 8, total 10. Confirmations: white 24. Communicants: formerly reported white 412, colored 1, total 413; added white 46 (of which by transfer 22), aggregate 459; died 8, present number 451. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 11. Sunday-schools: white teachers 33, scholars 220, total 253. Contributions, \$201.93. Number of scholars confirmed, 10. Members of the Brotherhood, 17. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 43. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 100.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$3,707 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	3,735 93
Diocesan—Missionary Soc'ty (\$146.09 from mite boxes)	818 66
Education Society,	101 96
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	33 61
Disabled Clergy,	91 44
Brotherhood,	18 70
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	227 81
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	412 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	333 93
General—Foreign Missions,	149 25
Domestic Missions,	102 00
Virginia Bible Society,	15 00
Other general objects,	136 26
Total,	\$9,884 05

GRACE CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. LANDON R. MASON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Dr. John R. Wheat, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2; infants white 16, colored 6, total 22; aggregate 24. Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: formerly reported white 298, added white 26 (of which by transfer 11), total 324; removed 6, died 6, total 12; present number 312. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 26. Sunday-schools: white teachers 17, scholars 99, total 116. Contributions, \$211.48. Number of cate-

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chisings, 8. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 9. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 31.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$4,026 40
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	497 86
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$111 from mite boxes), .	172 91
Education Society,	25 00
Disabled Clergy,	33 70
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	40 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	295 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	160 48
General—Foreign Missions,	212 46
Domestic Missions,	84 08
Virginia Bible Society,	8 07
Other general objects,	27 32
Total,	<u>\$5,583 28</u>

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rt. Rev. C. CLIFTON PENICK, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Frank D. Beveridge, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 7, infants white 6, total 13. Confirmations: white 16. Communicants: formerly reported white 280, added white 19 (of which by transfer 3), total 299; removed 18, died 4, total 22; present number 277. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools: white teachers 14, scholars 153, total 167. Contributions, \$124.32.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$1,714 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	799 51
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$100 from mite boxes)	100 00
Education Society,	13 88
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 57
Disabled Clergy,	16 74
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	12 46
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	67 50
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions,	10 40
Virginia Bible Society,	4 92
Total,	<u>\$2,742 98</u>

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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. J. GRAVATT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

James M. Ball, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 9, infants white 15, total 24. Confirmations: white 26. Communicants: formerly reported white 320, added white 70 (of which by transfer 44), total 390; removed 32, died 4, total 36; present number 354. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: white 14. Sunday-schools: white teachers 27, scholars 228, total 255. Contributions, \$229.81. Number of catechisings, 9. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 13. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$4,780 41
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	3,884 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$75 from mite boxes) .	100 49
Education Society,	22 90
Disabled Clergy,	48 33
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	64 59
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	320 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	65 50
General—Foreign Missions,	123 57
Domestic Missions,	184 26
Other general objects,	10 00
Total,	<u>\$9,604 05</u>

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

(Vacant.)

George A. Barksdale, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 14, total 17. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 167; died 3; present number 164. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white teachers 26, scholars 227, total 253. Contributions, \$110. Number of catechisings, 45. Number of scholars confirmed, 13. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 55.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,049 24
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$71.45 from mite boxes)	87 91
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	6 25
Disabled Clergy,	8 33
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	74 45
General—Foreign Missions,	24 23
Virginia Bible Society,	3 00
Other general objects,	4 00
Total,	\$1,257 41

ALL SAINT'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. Y. DOWNMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John R. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 21, total 27. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 312, added white 23 (of which by transfer 9), total 335; removed 16, died 4, total 20; present number 315. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 9. Sunday-schools: white teachers 21, scholars 141, total 162. Contributions, \$124.31. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 14. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$4,380 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	5,681 64
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$47.02 from mite boxes)	292 48
Education Society,	23 19
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	41 37
Disabled Clergy,	41 38
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	272 00
Contingent Fund,	315 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	55 00
General—Foreign Missions,	87 50
Domestic Missions,	65 58
Other general objects,	800 00
Total,	\$12,055 64

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CHRIST CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. PRESTON NASH, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

C. C. Baughman, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 8, infants white 26, total 34. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 250, added white 19 (of which by transfer 5), total 269; removed 36, died 2, total 38; present number 231. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 13. Sunday-schools: white teachers 32, scholars 340, total 372. Contributions, \$109.25. Number of scholars confirmed, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,154 55
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	141 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$48.21 from mite boxes)	63 09
Education Society,	3 95
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	40 32
General—Foreign Missions,	2 82
Total,	\$1,405 73

EMMANUEL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. B. M. RANDOLPH, Rector.

Post-office—Brook Hill.

Joseph Bryan, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 28, total 31. Confirmations: white 20. Communicants: formerly reported white 117, added white 24 (of which by transfer 4), total 141; removed 14, withdrawn 3, died 2, total 19; present number 122. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 78, total 85; colored teachers 2, scholars 67, total 69. Contributions, \$50.86. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 7. Members of the Brotherhood, 13. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 39.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$1,760 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	501 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$50.86 from mite boxes)	993 77
Education Society,	181 10
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	182 92
Disabled Clergy,	182 92
Brotherhood,	14 30
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	117 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	115 20
General—Foreign Missions,	229 70
Domestic Missions,	262 86
Other general objects,	37 00
Total,	<u>\$4,578 52</u>

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. W. P. CHRISMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Barton Heights.

W. P. Redd, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 11, total 13. Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: white 65 (of which by transfer 50) present number 65. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 78, total 84. Contributions, \$44.65. Number of catechisings, 2. Number of scholars confirmed, 8. Members of Brotherhood of Saint Andrew, 11. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$472 27
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	227 91
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$16.36 from mite boxes)	16 36
Education Society,	3 36
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	2 25
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	26 20
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Domestic Missions,	2 00
Other general objects,	15 08
Total,	<u>\$770 43</u>

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ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN W. JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Cornelius Robinson, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults colored 8, infants colored 2, total 10. Confirmations: colored 13. Communicants: formerly reported colored 74, added colored 13, total 87; removed 1, died 2, total 3; present number 84. Marriages: colored 2. Funerals: colored 8. Sunday-schools: colored teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56. Contributions, \$15.50. Number of catechisings, 12. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 7.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$240 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	350 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	4 08
Domestic Missions,	.	4 08
Total,	.	<u>\$598 16</u>

KING GEORGE COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George C. H.

Washington Tennent, Treasurer—P. O., Mathias' Point.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 72; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 69. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 16, total 22.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$165 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	32 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	27 03
Disabled Clergy,	.	3 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	41 00
Other general objects,	.	30 00
Total,	.	<u>\$298 63</u>

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ST. JOHN'S AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, HANOVER PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—King George C. H.

T. T. Arnold, Treasurer—P. O., King George C. H.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 71; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 67. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 38, total 45.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$328 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	243 70
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$28.30 from mite boxes)	28 30
Education Society,	3 22
Disabled Clergy,	6 91
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	42 00
General—Foreign Missions,	15 77
Domestic Missions,	5 00
Other general objects,	57 00
Total,	<u>\$729 90</u>

KING AND QUEEN COUNTY.

IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

Rev. WM. J. MORTON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Sam'l F. Harwood, Treasurer—P. O., King & Queen C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 6; present number 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$ 50 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	5 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	8 34
Total,	<u>\$68 34</u>

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KING WILLIAM COUNTY.

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, ST. DAVID'S PARISH.

Rev. C. L. PRICE, Rector.

Post-office—West Point.

Mrs. Evelyn C. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Aylett.

Baptisms: adults white 3. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 28, added white 4 (of which by transfer 1), total 32; removed 3; present number 29. Marriages: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 34, total 40. Number of scholars confirmed, 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$59 30
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	32 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$21.45 from mite boxes)	35 35
Education Society, . . .	5 63
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	25 00
Total, . . .	<u>\$157 28</u>

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST POINT PARISH.

Rev. C. L. PRICE, Rector.

Post-office—West Point.

Dr. W. K. Gatewood, Treasurer—P. O., West Point.

Communicants: formerly reported white 40, added white 3 (of which by transfer 3), colored 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 4, aggregate 44; removed 16, withdrawn 1, died 2, total 19; present number 25. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Number of catechisings, 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	50 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6.00 from mite boxes), . . .	9 00
Education Society, . . .	4 10
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	20 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	1 50
Total, . . .	<u>\$387 60</u>

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 WHITE CHAPEL, GRACE, AND TRINITY CHURCHES, CHRIST
CHURCH PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

Harvey S. Gresham, Treasurer—P. O., Lancaster C. H.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 108, added white 2; total 110; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 107. Marriages: white 2, colored 3, total 5. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56. Contributions, \$5.00.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$572 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	200 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$12.02 from mite boxes)	38 52
Education Society, .	7 48
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	2 25
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	54 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	2 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	7 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	1 00
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$885 25

 LOUDOUN COUNTY.

 ST. JAMES' CHURCH AND CHAPEL OF OUR SAVIOUR, SHELburnE
PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Leesburg.

Henry O. Clagett, Treasurer—P. O., Leesburg.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 3, total 6. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 243, colored 3, total 246, added white 3, aggregate 249; removed 4, died 1, total 5; present number 244. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 14, scholars 115, total 129; colored, teachers 4, scholars 27, total 31. Contributions, \$81.79. Number

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of catechisings, 8. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 32. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 21.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$1,407 71
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	3,487 67
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	31 49
Education Society,	.	30 18
Widow's and Orphans' Fund,	.	30 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	165 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	123 55
Domestic Missions,	.	122 55
Total,	.	<hr/> \$5,398 65

EMMANUEL CHURCH, JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. ROBERT K. MASSIE, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

Bolling W. Haxall, Treasurer—P. O., Dover.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 1, total 25; removed 3, present number 22. Sunday-schools: white teachers 3, scholars 8, total 11. Contributions, \$3.00.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$220 60
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	3 60
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	4 10
Education Society,	.	5 06
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	24 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	14 10
Total,	.	<hr/> \$276 46

CHURCH OF OUR REDEEMER, JOHN'S PARISH.

Rev. ROBERT K. MASSIE, Rector.

Post-office—Upperville.

J. M. McVeigh, Treasurer—P. O., Aldie.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communi-

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cants: formerly reported white 34, added white 11 (of which by transfer 9), total 45; removed 1; present number 44. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 16, total 20. Contributions, \$4.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$222 94
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	8 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.00 from mite boxes)	11 25
Education Society, .	3 21
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	28 00
Other objects in connection with the Diocese, .	5 00
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Total,	\$278 40

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

G. O. Tavenner, Treasurer—P. O., Hamilton.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 2, total 4. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 57, colored 1, total 58, added white 4 (of which by transfer 1), aggregate 62; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 58. Marriages; white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 35, total 40. Contributions, \$31. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$368 59
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	226 39
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$31.25 from mite boxes)	54 65
Education Society, .	17 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, .	12 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	44 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	3 46
General—Foreign Missions,	32 09
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Total,	\$748 68

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MT. CALVARY CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

Lee M. Dade, Treasurer—P. O., Paxson.

Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 22, added white 5, total 27; died 1; present number 26. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$ 97 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	120 00
Diocesan—Education Society,	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	4 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	1 89
Total,	\$228 39

CHRIST CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JOHN D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

Geo. Jackson, Treasurer—P. O., Luckets.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 21, added white 2; total 23; removed 2, present number 21. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$175 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	100 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$7 60 from mite boxes)	17 91
Education Society,	3 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	17 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 83
Total,	\$315 74

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LOUISA COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH AND CHAPEL, GREEN SPRING PARISH.

Rev. EDW. VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont, Albemarle county.

Robt. C. Perkins, Treasurer—P. O., Poindexter's.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 3 (of which by transfer 2) total 27; removed 4; present number 23. Marriages white 2. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$150 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	18 85
Education Society,	4 02
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	11 50
General—Foreign Missions,	2 28
Total,	<u>\$188 75</u>

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, TRINITY PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Leon Levy, Treasurer—P. O., Louisa.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 37, added white 6 (of which by transfer 3) total 43; removed 2; present number 41. Funerals: white 1. Number of catechisings, 6. Number of scholars confirmed 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$133 68
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	21 25
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$3.71 from mite boxes)	10 52
Education Society,	4 73
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	25 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	3 96
General—Foreign Missions,	3 41
Total,	<u>\$202 55</u>

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MADISON COUNTY.

PIEDMONT CHURCH, BROMFIELD PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Mrs. Mollie Cave, Treasurer—P. O., Madison.

Communicants: formerly reported white 10; present number 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$150 00
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MATHEWS COUNTY.

CHRIST AND TRINITY CHURCHES, KINGSTON PARISH.

Rev. HENRY WINGATE, Rector.

Post-office—Mathews C. H.

Dr. Thomas B. Lane, Treasurer—P. O., Port Haywood.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 59, added white 5 (of which by transfer 1), total 64; present number 64. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 11, scholars 40, total 51. Members of the Brotherhood, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$500 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	114 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$11.43 from mite boxes)	50 27
Education Society,	3 60
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	48 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	15 43
Total,	\$736 30

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MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHRIST CHURCH PARISH.

Rev. J. HERVEY HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague's.

E. B. Marston, Treasurer—P. O., Saluda.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 28; died 3, present number 25. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 48, total 53. Contributions, \$10.00. Number of catechisings, 16.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$215 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	145 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	12 50
Education Society,	.	1 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	5 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	28 00
General—Foreign Missions,	.	5 00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	1 00
Other general objects,	.	2 25
Total,	.	<u>\$414 75</u>

NEW KENT COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. PETER'S PARISH.

Rev. C. L. PRICE, Rector.

Post-office—West Point.

W. K. Lipscomb, Treasurer—P. O., Tunstall's.

Communicants: formerly reported white 17; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 13. Funerals: white 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$46 28
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	1 75
Education Society,	.	1 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	12 00
Total,	.	<u>\$61 13</u>

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NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

Revs. E. B. BURWELL, and A. B. CHINN, Rectors.

Postoffices—Lancaster C. H. and Hague.

Miss L. T. Deshields, Treasurer—P. O., Heathsville.

Communicants: formerly reported white 16; removed 1, withdrawn 1, total 2; present number 14. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$129 43
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	20 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	5 00
Education Society,	.	1 67
Disabled Clergy,	.	2 00
Total,	.	<u>\$158 10</u>

WICOMICO CHURCH, WICOMICO PARISH.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Rector.

Post-office—Lancaster C. H.

J. F. Snow, Treasurer—P. O., Wicomico Church.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 17, added white 3, total 20; present number 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$68 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$1 from mite boxes),	.	4 00
Education Society,	.	2 20
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	12 00
Total,	.	<u>\$86 20</u>

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ORANGE COUNTY.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. HANSBROUGH, Rector.

Post-office—Orange C. H.

John G. Williams, Treasurer—P. O., Orange C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 111, added white 2, total 113; removed 8, died 2, total 10; present number 103. Marriages: white 1, colored 3, total 4. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29. Contributions, \$4. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of the Brotherhood, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$731 21
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	300 05
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$36.52 from mite boxes)	.	85 13
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	8 53
Disabled Clergy,	.	8 54
Brotherhood,	.	2 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	111 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	42 40
General—Foreign Missions,	.	23 29
Total,	.	\$1,312 25

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Dr. J. D. Pendleton, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 4, total 6. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 63, added white 11 (of which by transfer 9), total 74; removed 3, died 1, total 4; present number 70. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 40, total 45. Contributions, \$2.77.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$200 81
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	192 33

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$.51 from mite boxes)	12 90
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 25
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	3 85
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	44 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	6 54
Other general objects, . . .	1 53
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$464 21

BARBOUR MEMORIAL CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. J. R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-Office—Gordonsville.

Geo. W. Barbour, Treasurer—P. O., Somerset.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 17, added white 3, total 20; present number 20. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$177 20
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	24 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	7 84
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	25
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	41
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$209 70

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Mrs. Modenia Brooks, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Baptisms: adults colored 1. Communicants: Formerly reported colored 29, died 1; present number 28. Marriages: colored 1. Funerals: colored 6. Sunday-schools: colored teachers 3, scholars 70, total 73. Contributions, \$5.00. Number of catechisings, 24. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 6.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$40 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	25 00
General—Domestic Missions,	.	2 74
Total,	.	<u>\$ 67 74</u>

CALVARY CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. T. W. VAUGHAN, Rector.

Post-Office—Gordonsville.

James Cooper, Treasurer—P. O., Albano.

Communicants: formerly reported colored 23, died 1; present number 22. Funerals: colored 1. Sunday-schools: colored teachers 2, scholars 50, total 52. Contributions, \$4.00. Number of catechisings, 12. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 1, scholars 42.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$26 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	15 00
Total,	.	<u>\$41 00</u>

PAGE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

Fred. T. Amiss, Treasurer—P. O., Luray.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 26; present number 26. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 4, scholars 14, total 18. Contributions, \$5. Number of catechisings, 10.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$123 74
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	5 26
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5.75 from mite boxes)	13 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year, .	13 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	4 25
Total,	<u>\$159 35</u>

CALVARY CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

John M. Rodgers, Treasurer—P. O., Shenandoah.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 27, added white 1, total 28; removed 4, present number 24. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white teachers 7, scholars 56, total 63. Contributions, \$35.19. Number of catechisings, 18.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$364 91
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	108 86
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$11.25 from mite boxes)	16 25
Other objects in connection with Diocese, .	20 27
Total,	<u>\$620 29</u>

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY.

TRINITY CHURCH, DETTINGEN PARISH.

Rev. W. H. K. PENDLETON, Minister.

Post-office—Fairfax.

R. W. Merchant, Treasurer—P. O., Manassas.

Baptisms: adults white 4. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 81, added white 15 (of which by transfer 5), total 96; removed 4, died 1, total 5; present number 91. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 105, total 110. Contributions, \$24. Number of catechisings, 26. Number of scholars confirmed, 5.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary.	\$218 09
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	85 51
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$12 from mite boxes)	19 97
Education Society,	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 10
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	49 00
General—Foreign Missions,	4 40
Domestic Missions,	3 40
Other general objects,	7 51
Total,	<u>\$399 98</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HAYMARKET PARISH.

Rev. G. S. SOMERVILLE, Rector.

Post-office—Haymarket.

Arthur Thorp, Treasurer—P. O., Gainesville.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 162, added white 5, (of which by transfer 2), total 167; removed 10, withdrawn 6, died 1, total 17; present number 150. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 8, scholars 55, total 63. Contributions, \$42.80. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 10. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$854 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	377 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$26.65 from mite boxes)	38 15
Education Society,	5 50
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 50
Disabled Clergy,	2 80
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	6 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	131 71
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	8 00
General—Foreign Missions,	14 65
Domestic Missions,	29 65
Total,	<u>\$1,469 96</u>

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QUANTICO CHURCH, DETTINGEN PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KLOMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Springman.

J. B. Atkinson, Treasurer—P. O., Neabsco Mills.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 4, total 10. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 8, added white 12, total 20; died 1; present number 19. Funerals: white 2. Sunday schools: white teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$75 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	55 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	5 00
Total,	.	\$135 00

GRACE CHAPEL, HAYMARKET PARISH.

(Vacant).

Miss Eleanor Ewell, Treasurer—P. O., Hickory Grove.

Communicants: present number 17.

RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, BROMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, Rector.

Post-office—Washington.

Thomas Vigis, Treasurer—P. O., Hawlin.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 27, added white 3, total 30; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 27. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$161 13
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	1 88

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Missionary Society (\$2.25 from mite boxes)	6 42
Education Society,	5 41
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 13
Disabled Clergy,	1 12
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	21 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	3 94
General—Foreign Missions,	1 84
Domestic Missions,	1 65
Other general objects,	50
Total,	\$206 02

TRINITY CHURCH, BROMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, Rector.

Post-office—Washington.

Edward M. Green, Treasurer—P. O., Gaines' Cross Roads.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 2, total 6. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 42, colored 1, total 43; added white 5, aggregate 48; withdrawn 4, died 1, total 5; present number 43. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 2, scholars 12, total 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$319 05
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	5 08
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$3.45 from mite boxes)	5 95
Education Society,	4 15
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 73
Disabled Clergy,	1 73
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	32 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 13
General—Foreign Missions,	1 29
Domestic Missions,	2 22
Other general objects,	50
Total,	\$375 83

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RICHMOND COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, LUNENBURG PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Rector.

Post-office—Warsaw.

S. Milton Sydnor, Treasurer—P. O., Warsaw.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 4, total 8. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 60, added white 15 (of which by transfer 1), total 75; removed 1, withdrawn 3, total 4; present number 71. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white teachers 8, scholars 43, total 51. Contributions, \$19.54. Number of scholars confirmed, 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$399 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	22 68
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$11.76 from mite boxes)	50 00
Education Society,	8 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 00
Disabled Clergy,	6 51
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	47 00
General—Foreign Missions,	39 25
Virginia Bible Society,	2 44
Total,	<hr/> \$578 38

EMMANUEL CHURCH, NORTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Rector.

Post-office—Warsaw.

W. Gray Brockenbrough, Treasurer—P. O., Emmerton.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 35, added white 3, total 38; present number 38. Funerals: white 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$165 00
Diocesan—Education Society,	4 00
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Domestic Missions,	8 69
Total,	<hr/> \$182 69

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ROCKINGHAM COUNTY.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. O. M. YERGER, Rector.

Post-office—Harrisonburg.

John P. Burke, Treasurer—P. O., Harrisonburg.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 87, added white 4, total 91; present number 91. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Colored scholars, 1. Contributions, \$8.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$937	52
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	14	05
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.09 from mite boxes)	.	15	09
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	66	00
Total,	.	\$1,032	66

GRACE MEMORIAL CHURCH, LYNNWOOD PARISH.

Rev. JOHN S. DOUGLAS, Rector.

Post-office—Shenandoah.

Mrs. Lou S. Lewis, Treasurer—P. O., Lynnwood.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 22, total 24. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 9, total 35; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 33. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, scholars 35, total 41.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$122	90
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	10	63
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.00 from mite boxes)	.	40	00
Disabled Clergy,	.	13	34
Contingent Fund paid last year,	.	15	00
Total,	.	\$201	87

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SHENANDOAH COUNTY.

ST. ANDREW'S AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, BECKFORD PARISH.

Rev. JAMES GRAMMER, Rector.

Post-office—Mt. Jackson.

L. Triplett, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Mt. Jackson.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 96, added white 2, total 98; removed 5, withdrawn 12, died 2, total 19; present number 79. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions, \$14.27.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$609 71
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	78 92
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$7.99 from mite boxes)	23 37
Education Society,	12 08
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 64
Disabled Clergy,	1 43
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	40 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	34 33
General—Foreign Missions,	9 70
Virginia Bible Society,	3 02
Other general objects,	4 79
Total,	\$818 99

SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM D. SMITH, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

D. H. Knox, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 34, total 36. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 258, colored 2, total 260; added white 14 (of which by transfer 8), aggregate 274; removed 1, withdrawn 4, suspended 5, died 4, total 14; present number 260. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 10. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 24, scholars 161, total 185. Contributions,

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\$216.00. Number of scholars confirmed, 4. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 2; scholars 9. Members of the Brotherhood, 8. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 15. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$2,578	24
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	930	11
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$120 from mite boxes)		205	00
Education Society,	.	80	00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	.	28	57
Brotherhood,	.	8	80
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	.	5	00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	258	00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	.	89	26
General—Foreign Missions,	.	90	00
Domestic Missions,	.	30	00
Virginia Bible Society,	.	5	00
Total,	.	\$4,307	98

TRINITY CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN H. GREEN, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

G. B. Pearson, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: infants white 10. Communicants: present number 105. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 70, total 80. Contributions, \$80. Number of catechisings, 4. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$990	90
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	392	53
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$19.23 from mite boxes)		19	23
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	.	82	05
General—Foreign Missions,	.	3	96
Other general objects,	.	250	00
Total,	.	\$1,738	67

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CHRIST CHURCH.

(Vacant).

Mrs. J. P. Gayle, Treasurer—P. O., Spotsylvania.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 3. Communi-
cants: formerly reported white 17; present number 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$ 20 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	.	3 00
Total,	.	\$ 23 00

STAFFORD COUNTY.

AQUIA CHURCH, OVERWHARTON PARISH.

(Vacant).

Hugh Adie, Treasurer—P. O., Garrisonville.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 6. Communi-
cants: formerly reported white 40, added white 6, total 46; died 2;
present number 44. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sun-
day-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 30, total 37.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	.	\$72 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	.	71 70
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5.00 from mite boxes)	.	14 42
Education Society,	.	2 81
Total,	.	\$161 18

WARREN COUNTY.

CALVARY CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-Office—Front Royal.

J. H. O. Kemp, Treasurer—P. O., Front Royal.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 3. Communi-

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cants: formerly reported white 75; added white 3, total 78; removed 1, died 2, total 3; present number 75. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 40, total 48. Contributions: \$18.93. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$365 43
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	302 80
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$12.64 from mite boxes)	12 64
Education Society,	8 72
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	57 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	10 00
General—Foreign Missions,	4 31
Total,	\$761 40

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH AND PAYNE'S CHAPEL, WASHINGTON
PARISH.

Rev. WM. C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-Office—Oak Grove.

Dr. Walker Washington, Treasurer—P. O., Oak Grove.

Baptisms: infants white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 67; died 1, present number 66. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 28, total 33. Contributions, \$3.00. Members of the Brotherhood, 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$391 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	60 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$18.42 from mite boxes)	78 91
Education Society,	8 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 00
Disabled Clergy,	4 14
Brotherhood,	5 50
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	2 00

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Contingent Fund paid last year,	47 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Other general objects,	24 37
Total,	<u>\$633 92</u>

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

John Goodridge, Treasurer—P. O., Montross.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 3, total 6. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 16, added white 6, total 22; present number 22. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$93 69
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	52 15
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6.72 from mite boxes)	13 83
Education Society,	2 00
General—Foreign Missions,	1 00
Other general objects,	5 60
Total,	<u>\$168 27</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Rector.

Post-office—Warsaw.

E. B. Hutt, Treasurer—P. O., Nomini Grove.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 2, total 3. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 2, total 20; withdrawn 1, present number 19. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Number of scholars confirmed, 2.

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PARISH.

Rev. ARTHUR B. CHINN, Rector.

Post-office—Hague.

Frederick Griffith, Treasurer—P. O., Hague.

Baptisms: adults white 4. Confirmations: white 12. Communi-
cants: formerly reported white 97, added white 12, total 109; re-
moved 6, suspended 3, total 9; present number 100. Marriages:
white 3. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13,
scholars 72, total 85. Contributions, \$40. Number of catechisings,
18. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of Woman's
Auxiliary, 11.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, .	\$500 63
Other objects, including incidental expenses, .	90 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$32 from mite boxes), .	60 33
Education Society,	10 00
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	12 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	70 50
General—Foreign Missions,	8 40
Domestic Missions,	5 04
Other general objects,	20 00
Total,	<u>\$781 90</u>

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RICHMOND, VA., *April 30, 1897.*

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.:

My dear Bishop,—My report for the past year is—Marriages: 1. Baptisms: infants 2, adults 2, total 4. Number of services, 216.

Paid Treasurer Diocesan Missionary Society,	\$186 16
Expenses,	126 39

Total collected,	\$312 55
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Respectfully submitted,

EVERARD MEADE, *Evangelist.*

MIDDLETOWN, VA., *May 15, 1897.*

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.:

My dear Bishop,—During the past year I preached twice a month at certain school houses, several times for different brethren, and married one couple.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. EVERETT.

REPORT OF D. F. SPRIGG—*May, 1897.*

Dear Bishop,—My report for last year is in parish report of Rev. Mr. Randolph, for Barton Heights. I was in charge of that church until October; also took morning services at St. Andrew's, since the death of Dr. Powers, where 17 were presented for confirmation. My main work, however, is editorial.

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*Report of the Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, 1897.**Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., President ex-officio:*

The seventh annual report calls to mind, in its mention of one of the "perfect numbers," that in presenting it we present the first Sabbatical term of years of the Diocesan Branch. To look back to our beginning in 1890 shows hopeful progress and positive gain over the nine parishes of the then undivided Diocese, to the present increase in the Virginia Diocese alone of fifty parish branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, twenty Junior branches, and 205 members in the Babies' branch, while it yet shows a larger field to be cultivated for the harvest of willing workers, that all our women, all our girls and boys, even the "babes" may be united in one grand missionary purpose. Slowly but surely the aim to enroll all the parishes will be gained. What we need in this "new old work" before us is, first of all, greater interest on the part of the clergy. The cordial support and guidance of our *revered* Bishops have been the chief source of any success, but we want *no less* of every clergyman.

The responsibility of spreading missionary information, rousing zeal, unlocking the treasure house of hearts, to give to missions (even to pray for them), in too many cases rests upon the *women* of the Auxiliary, thus withholding the privilege of unity of purpose in gifts to missions from the major part of each congregation, who, from lack of intelligent knowledge, are not roused to interest and effort. In the reports received, where the rector cares for missions, the contributions prove it, and he finds the Auxiliary a powerful factor in his work, as an organized body, so *systematized* that nothing is lost; so *wisely administered* that every *mere mite* goes straight to its mark.

Reverend Sirs, counsel, guide, care for us. We cannot prosper without your support and oversight, nor can we reach and touch hearts as you can with a special missionary sermon (*all your own*), stirring up zeal by an intelligent knowledge of missionary enterprise at home or abroad, with a corresponding *keener appreciation* of personal responsibility, resulting in a large increase in missionary zeal and gifts for all church work. To break down the apathy and indifference to this great cause is partly the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, but it does not wholly rest there; every baptized member of

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the Church is pledged to and must bear his part in the upbuilding of the spiritual temple of "living stones" in our own and foreign lands, which is being raised to the glory of God, and in loving memory of all that Christ has done for us; that some day we and they may "stand complete in Him."

Turning to the year's record, we call attention, first, to Diocesan Missions, which need the prayers and gifts of the church-women in Virginia. Their claims are recognized, and various appeals met by a cordial response, which should always mark our interest in them. The amount given to missions within the Diocese is \$699.60 in money, \$395.75 in boxes.

The domestic field pleads for our help, and if we need self-interest to prompt our gifts, Virginia has her own sons and daughters in the far west in Bishop Brooke and Rev. George S. Vest, with Miss Lucy Carter and Miss Garrett, our own Auxiliary women, with others dear in the bonds of Christian faith and work. The amount given to Domestic Missions is \$383.81 in money; boxes valued at \$681.88.

But when we turn to the foreign field, such a host of Virginia missionaries rises to view as we think of the home-band in Brazil, especially our own Miss Packard, that our hearts burn within us as we pledge anew our support and our sympathy to cheer and sustain them. To Brazil the amount given is \$559.00.

And again, crossing the seas, we find ourselves linked with the dark continent through Mrs. Dr. Walrath, a Virginian by descent, and Miss Woodruff, by our yearly pledge. But when we turn to China and Japan, again what a glorious heritage of work is ours, through that noble band of consecrated Virginia men and women "who have gone in to possess the land" for us. Of these are Miss Ward and Miss Mann, devoted, faithful workers from the Auxiliary, banded with those other brave spirits of whom "time fails to tell." The amount given to China is \$604.50; the amount to Japan \$664.00; total \$1,268.50.

Nor has the colored work in Virginia been overlooked. Here and there kind acts and gifts have cheered the workers on. The amount given is \$55.

As united work, the Virginia Branch has filled its pledge of \$50 to life insurance of Rev. C. Brown, of Brazil; \$75 to salaries of

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women missionaries in China, Africa and Alaska, and \$200 to train or send a Virginia girl as missionary. The four prayer days are generally observed, thus linking prayer with service in a chain that binds us to each other and closer to Him for whom we work.

To keep our record in the future, we need to be diffused in our Sunday-schools *more exact knowledge* of missions, to teach and train the young for their place in the Church. We ask the co-operation of the clergy in forming each school into a Junior Department, with a systematic course of instruction and missionary literature, as by their gifts they are already *missionary* in spirit and purpose. Their aid is most valuable *now*, but as *nothing* to what it may be as adults, if trained. To our boys we must look for a response to the ever louder call for "more laborers;" to our girls to take our place in the Auxiliary and in all mission work.

Heed our request, friends of the clergy; help us in this Junior work. We thank the Bishops for their counsel and support, we thank the clergy for all their consideration and interest; and we trust each year to do *more* and *better* work, being "steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord."

SUMMARY.

Woman's Auxiliary—

Foreign Missions, . . .	\$1,268 50	
Domestic Missions, . . .	383 81	
Diocesan Missions, . . .	699 60	
Boxes valued, . . .	1,077 72	
Offerstory, May, 1896, . . .	50 00	
Total, . . .	————	\$3,479 63

Junior Auxiliary—

Foreign Missions, . . .	\$254 50	
Domestic Missions, . . .	183 70	
Diocesan Missions, . . .	414 95	
Total, . . .	————	853 15
Babies' Branch, . . .		178 75

Grand total, . . .	\$4,511 53
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Respectfully submitted,

SALLIE STUART,
Secretary Virginia Branch.

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VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE,
STAUNTON, VA., May, 1897.*Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE,**President of the Board of Trustees:*

Dear Sir,—As Principal of the Virginia Female Institute, it is my duty to report its condition this current session.

We have enrolled as pupils seventy names this year; of these fifty-one are boarders, nineteen day pupils. Forty-six boarders largest number present at any one time. A more satisfactory year, so far as work and conduct are concerned, we have never had. The falling off in numbers, it is thought, is entirely due to the financial troubles now existing. The health of the school has been excellent, and with a graduated nurse who takes charge of the sick and ailing, every care is given that they could have in their own homes.

Owing to the fact that there are among us only six or eight who are not communicants of our Church or some other Protestant Church—and these the younger girls—we had none to present to the Bishop for confirmation, April 11th, the time of his last visitation. A high standard of scholarship is maintained, a reasonable number reaching it, and work of a very satisfactory character is being done.

The grounds and buildings are in excellent order. The increase of comfort derived from the new boiler and system of heating has been well worth the money expended, the expense (\$1,020.94) being met by the rent account.

To the Faculty thanks are due from our Church people, for more earnest Christian workers have never been known; the reputation of this school in our midst is the result. A full attendance at the "Annual Meeting" of the Board of Trustees, June 8th, is earnestly desired, and to give additional interest, the closing exercises of the school will be held the same day.

Throughout the South we hear of new schools being established, which must lead to a lessening of the patronage we have had in the past, unless new interest and effort is exerted by our own Church people to sustain this, their own Diocesan School—one of the oldest and best of schools for girls—and so situated that they can have the

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benefit of the purest and most desirable climate in which to develop a healthful and robust physique.

Trusting that the support of all connected with the Diocese may be given us, I am

Very respectfully,

MRS. J. E. B. STUART.

REPORT OF SEMINARY MISSIONS FOR YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1897.

NAME OF MISSIONS.	Baptisms.	Confirmations.	Communicants.	S. S. Teachers.	S. S. Scholars.	Contributions.	Contingent Fund.
Alexandria S. R. R			35	6	30	\$150 00	
Arlington, Trinity.....	1		35	4	45	110 00	\$11 82
Bailey's Cross Roads, St. Paul's.....			17	4	25	10 00	
Chapel Good Shepherd, colored.....				6	55	115 97	
Emmanuel Sunday-School, white							
Glencarlyn—Communicants reported in Washington.....	2			3	15	100 00	
Groveton.....			7			45 00	1 00
Lincolnia			13	4	25	40 71	
Sharon	1		22	4	35	40 00	4 00
West End, St. John's	1		45	6	50	150 00	
Totals.....	5		174	37	280	\$761 68	\$16 82

From three to four students work on each mission, except at Emmanuel Sunday-school, where the Superintendent alone is from the students. Services are held in a school-house at Groveton, and in a hall at Glencarlyn. The other missions have chapels.

SAMUEL A. WALLIS,
Rector Seminary Missions.

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 DEACONS ORDAINED SINCE THE COUNCIL—THEIR CURES AND
 POST-OFFICES.

Rev. William H. Laird, St. Ann's Parish, Albemarle county,
Glendower.

Rev. R. C. Cowling, Piedmont Church, Bromfield Parish, *Madi-
 son.*

 GENERAL SUMMARY.

Bishops,	.	.	.	.	.	2
Clergy,	.	.	.	.	.	80
Adult baptisms,	.	.	.	.	220	
Infant baptisms,	.	.	.	.	<u>531</u>	757
Communicants,	.	.	.	.	.	10,557
Sunday-school teachers,	.	.	.	.	.	979
Sunday-school scholars,	7,310
Confirmations,	667
Contributions,	\$163,138 25

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IN MEMORIAM.

THE RIGHT REVEREND

John Brockenbrough Newton, M. D., D. D.,

BISHOP COADJUTOR OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

Born in Westmoreland County, Va., February 7, 1839.

Graduated at Medical College, Richmond, in 1861. Was Surgeon in the Confederate States Army, 1861-65. Practiced medicine in his native county, 1865-70.

Ordained Deacon by Bishop Whittle, June 25, 1871, in St. Mark's Church, Richmond.

Ordained Priest by Bishop Johns in the Chapel at the Theological Seminary of Virginia, June 28, 1872.

Various Charges: South Farnham Parish, Essex County, Va., 1871-76. St. Luke's Church, Norfolk, 1876-84. Monumental Church, Richmond, 1884-94. Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Virginia, 1894-97.

Died suddenly in Richmond, Va., May 28, 1897, in his 59th year.

"Mark the perfect man and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace."



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OF THE
Protestant Episcopal Church
IN
VIRGINIA, . . .
HELD IN
ST. JAMES' CHURCH, RICHMOND, JUNE 30, 1897,
CALLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF
ELECTING A BISHOP COADJUTOR.

Diocese Reorganized in 1785.

RICHMOND
WM. ELLIS JONES, STEAM BOOK AND JOB PRINTER.
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ST. JAMES' CHURCH, RICHMOND, VA.,
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 30, 1897.

The Special Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia met this day in St. James' Church, Richmond, at 10 A. M., for Divine worship.

The Holy Communion was administered by the Bishop, the Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D., LL.D., assisted by the Revs. John McGill, D. D., H. B. Lee, and William M. Clark, the rector of the church.

After Divine service the Council was called to order by the Bishop.

By direction of the Chairman, the Secretary then read the notice of the call of this Special Council, as follows:

A CALLED MEETING OF THE COUNCIL.

RICHMOND, VA., June 3, 1897.

To the Ministers and Vestries of the Diocese of Virginia:

MY DEAR BRETHREN—God in His wise Providence having removed from us our beloved Bishop Newton, it is important that a successor to him be procured at as early a day as practicable, my bodily infirmities rendering

Clergy Present.

me incapable of performing the duties of my office. Therefore, by authority of the Constitution of our Church, I hereby call a special Council to meet in St. James' Church, Richmond, on Wednesday, June 30, 1897, at 10 o'clock, to consider and act on the question of electing a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese, and to transact any other business at the pleasure of the Council. It is hoped that every minister entitled to a seat will be present, and that all the vestries will elect lay delegates to represent them and their congregations.

Faithfully and affectionately yours,

F. M. WHITTLE,

Bishop of the Diocese of Virginia.

The roll of ministers and Lay Delegates was called, and the following answered to their names:

RT. REV. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., LL.D.

Rev. Clarence E. Ball,

" E. B. Burwell,

" Hartley Carmichael,

" A. B. Chinn,

" W. P. Chrisman,

" William M. Clark,

" J. J. Clopton,

" John C. Cornick,

" Angus Crawford,

" Parnell LeB. Cross,

" Nelson P. Dame,

" D. C. T. Davis,

" J. S. Douglas,

" John Y. Downman,

" J. R. Ellis,

" J. H. Gibbons,

" E. L. Goodwin,

" Robert A. Goodwin,

" James Grammer,

" Carl E. Grammer,

" John J. Gravatt,

" Berryman Green,

" John S. Hansbrough,

" Charles S. Harrison,

Rev. S. S. Hepburn,

" Edwin S. Hinks,

" J. H. Hundley,

" John W. Johnson,

" E. Valentine Jones,

" Henry F. Kloman,

" John D. LaMothe,

" William C. Latané,

" H. B. Lee,

" William B. Lee,

" Hugh M. Martin,

" Landon R. Mason,

" Robert K. Massie,

" John McGill,

" John McNabb,

" Everard Meade,

" George Otis Mead,

" W. J. Morton,

" Preston Nash,

" George W. Nelson,

" Frederick W. Neve,

" J. J. Norwood,

" P. R. Nugent,

" Carter Page,

 Laity Present.

Rt. Rev. C. C. Penick,	Rev. George S. Somerville,
Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton,	“ F. S. Stickney,
“ P. P. Phillips,	“ E. A. Temple,
“ C. L. Price,	“ P. D. Thompson,
“ B. M. Randolph,	“ Edward Wall,
“ F. A. Ridout,	“ S. A. Wallis,
“ Thomas Semmes,	“ J. W. Ware.

LAY DELEGATES.

Mr. Albert Baker,	Mr. J. B. McCaw,
“ G. A. Barksdale,	“ Thomas McCormick,
“ W. S. Barton,	“ Edgar McCray,
“ John M. Benson,	“ David Meade,
“ Cyrus Bossieux,	“ D. G. Meade,
“ Travers Branch,	“ W. T. Meade,
“ Powhatan Breedon,	“ G. V. Moncure, Sr.,
“ Joseph Bryan,	“ T. D. Moncure,
“ C. E. Cary,	“ W. P. Moncure,
“ Thomas J. Chew,	“ P. P. Nalle,
“ W. W. Chamblin,	“ N. B. Noland,
“ H. H. Dodge,	“ C. J. Nourse,
“ R. H. Dulany,	“ R. M. Page,
“ A. C. Fisher,	“ R. P. Page,
“ J. W. Gordon,	“ William H. Palmer,
“ J. W. Green,	“ I. H. Payne,
“ Frederick Griffith,	“ J. D. Pendleton,
“ A. S. Groser,	“ J. V. Pereira,
“ John T. Harris, Jr.,	“ H. B. Ramey,
“ E. C. Harrison,	“ Eppa Rixie,
“ George P. Hodgson,	“ John Rutherford,
“ Mr. Gilbert F. Israel,	“ W. A. Smoot,
“ H. W. Jones,	“ Robert Stiles,
“ J. C. Lamb,	“ William Tayloe,
“ J. T. Lovell,	“ J. M. Taylor,
“ L. S. Macon,	“ T. O. Taylor,
“ C. T. Marston,	“ A. W. Wallace,
“ P. H. Mayo,	“ R. C. Wellford,

 Report of Committee on Credentials.

Mr. J. F. Wheat,
 " John G. Williams,
 " T. E. Williams,
 " Joseph Wilmer,

Mr. Charles Woolnough,
 " T. R. B. Wright,
 " J. W. Yates.

A quorum of both orders having answered to their names, the President declared the Council duly organized and ready for business.

He appointed the following Committee on Credentials: Rev. E. S. Hinks, Judge J. C. Lamb, and Mr. Joseph Wilmer.

The Rev. J. Y. Downman moved that the Rev. Dr. Sprigg be accorded the floor for a few minutes, which motion was carried. Dr. Sprigg claimed his seat in the Council on the ground of his age.

The Chair ordered his name to be put on the roll and then to be called, which was then done—Rev. D. F. Sprigg.

The Committee on Credentials of Lay Delegates reported that they found the roll, as called by the Secretary, correct, with the following names to be added:

Mr. J. H. C. Beverly,	Mr. Thomas Poindexter,
" Robert B. Gordon,	" S. G. Fairbank.

The following communication from the Secretary of the Diocese of Southern Virginia was then read:

The following minute was unanimously adopted by a rising vote at the closing session of the Fifth Annual Council of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

Attest:

THOMAS SPENCER, *Secretary*.

FROM THE DIOCESE OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA,

TO THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA, GREETING:

Whereas the Almighty and All-loving Father, Who gives and Who takes away, of His great love to the Diocese of Virginia, gave to it for the office and work of a Bishop a man after His own heart, in our beloved brother, JOHN BROCKENBROUGH NEWTON; and then, of His great love for that man, took him away from his earthly labors, and gave him a higher honor and a better place in the inheritance of the saints in light—

Sundry Resolutions.

We of the Diocese of Southern Virginia send greeting of brotherly sympathy to the Diocese of Virginia, which mourns the loss of a faithful chief pastor and friend. The time is not long past when we met together as one fellowship and one Diocese. The Dioceses are severed, but the fellowship is yet one. We rejoice when you rejoice, and weep when you weep. We were glad when you gave honor to our beloved brother, three years ago. We knew the worth of him and of his work when he labored within our borders. When we were together, we loved to give him honor, and held him in our affection as a faithful friend.

We therefore bid you count us as brothers in your sorrow, and pray that when you meet to fill the place made vacant among you by his translation, God's Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule your hearts, and give you a man like minded, who will naturally care for your state.

The following resolution was then offered by the Rev. E. L. Goodwin:

Resolved, That the Rules of Order of the last Council be adopted for this Council, so far as applicable to the business which may come before it.

Carried.

The Rev. G. W. Nelson offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council adjourn at 2 P. M. for lunch, and meet again at 3 P. M.

The Rev. R. A. Goodwin offered the following:

Resolved, That the Chair appoint a committee of five clergymen and four laymen to prepare a minute on the death of the late Bishop Newton.

Carried.

The Chair appointed the following as such committee:

Rev. R. A. Goodwin,	Mr. Joseph Bryan,
" William M. Clark,	" John G. Williams,
" C. E. Grammer,	" P. P. Nalle,
" H. B. Lee,	" Albert Baker.
" N. P. Dame,	

Judge J. C. Lamb offered the following:

Bishop's Consent to Election of Bishop Coadjutor.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Diocese be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Mrs. Roberta Newton, widow of the Rt. Rev. John B. Newton, deceased, late Bishop Coadjutor, the salary of the said Bishop, and the allowance for house rent voted by the last Council; such payments to be for the period from the death of the said Bishop until the Bishop Coadjutor to be chosen at this Council shall have been consecrated.

Rev. B. M. Randolph moved to amend by adding the following:

2. *Resolved*, That the Council endorse the action of the Bishop and the Standing Committee in authorizing the Treasurer of the Diocese to pay the funeral expenses of the late Bishop Coadjutor.

Judge Lamb accepted the amendment, and, on motion, they were adopted.

Mr. Joseph Bryan offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That this Council now desires to go into the election of a Bishop Coadjutor, and requests the Bishop to state before election the duties which he will assign to said Bishop Coadjutor when elected.

The Secretary then read the following paper, prepared by the Bishop:

CONSENT OF THE BISHOP TO ELECTION OF A BISHOP COADJUTOR.

RICHMOND, VA., June 30, 1897.

As required by Title I, Canon 19, Section 5, of the Digest of the Canons of the General Convention, I hereby signify my consent to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Virginia, I being physically unable to perform the duties of my office. And I hereby assign to the Bishop Coadjutor, when duly elected and consecrated, all the Episcopal work of the Diocese which I am unable to do myself.

F. M. WHITTLE,
Bishop of Diocese of Virginia.

Judge A. W. Wallace moved that the Council proceed at once to the election.

Carried.

The Rev. N. P. Dame offered the following, which was lost:

Minute on death of Bishop Newton.

WHEREAS, We all recognize the fact that our Lord Jesus Christ has chosen a man for the vacant office of Bishop Coadjutor in His Church in this Diocese, and that our part is to seek to know His will in this matter and to elect the man of His choice—

Resolved, That when the time for the election arrives we will spend a few minutes in silent prayer, asking earnestly that our Lord will guide us to the man of His choice, and then proceed at once to ballot without nomination or speeches, referring directly or indirectly to any person, depending upon the Divine guidance to lead us aright.

The Rev. B. M. Randolph moved that the nominating speeches be limited to five minutes.

Carried.

The Council took recess till 3 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 3 P. M.

The Council reassembled, with the Bishop in the chair.

The Rev. J. J. Gravatt offered the following, which was lost:

Resolved, That any charge preferred against any nominee for the office of Bishop Coadjutor shall first be made in writing to a committee of five clergymen, to be elected by the Council, who shall review the same and decide whether or not the charges are worthy of consideration by the Council.

MINUTE.

The committee appointed to draft a minute on the death of Bishop Newton, presented, through its Chairman, Rev. R. A. Goodwin, the following:

When we met in Council six weeks ago at Fredericksburg, our beloved Bishop Coadjutor, John B. Newton, D. D., was with us; to-day we meet to elect his successor.

We know that the "great Bishop and Shepherd of our souls" has "the keys of death," and that He is infinite in wisdom and in love. We would remember His words: "What I do thou knowest not now, but thou shalt know hereafter;" and bow in humble submission to the will of God. But

 Nominations for Bishop Coadjutor.

we sadly miss our beloved brother and father in God, and sorrow that we will see his face no more in our homes, our churches and our councils.

We would place on record our gratitude to the Great Head of the Church for what Bishop Newton was and for what he did. The beautiful simplicity of his character; his fidelity to duty as a soldier, a physician, a pastor and a Bishop; his earnestness and power as a preacher of the gospel; his unfailing cheerfulness, kindness and manliness drew many hearts to him. Those who knew him best loved him most.

During his short term of office as Bishop, he left his impress upon the whole Diocese, as with zeal, energy and unfeigned humility he went from church to church, preaching the gospel of the grace of God. He preached Jesus Christ and Him crucified. We honored him; we loved him; we mourn his loss.

Resolved, That the Secretary send a copy of this minute to his family, and that it be published in the *Southern Churchman*.

R. A. GOODWIN,
for the Committee.

On motion of the Rev. G. W. Nelson, it was resolved that after silent prayer the Council go into the election at once.

This having been done, the Chair appointed the following tellers to attend to the clerical vote:

Rev. J. R. Ellis,

Rev. J. J. Clopton.

NOMINATIONS FOR BISHOP COADJUTOR.

The following nominations for Bishop Coadjutor were then made:

The Rev. George W. Nelson nominated the Rev. William Meade Dame, D. D.

The Rev. L. R. Mason nominated the Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D.

The Rev. J. J. Clopton nominated the Rev. A. S. Lloyd.

The Rev. B. M. Randolph nominated the Rev. R. H. McKim, D. D.

The Council then proceeded to ballot.

The Rev. H. B. Lee offered the following, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, Our brethren in the Diocese of Southern Virginia have sent

 First and Second Ballots.

words of loving sympathy to us in our great sorrow, caused by the death of our beloved Bishop Newton; therefore—

Resolved, 1. That we accept in grateful love this kindly expression, and that the same be spread upon our minutes.

2. That our Secretary be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the Secretary of the Council of Southern Virginia.

The tellers reported the first ballot as follows:

Whole number of votes cast, 60; necessary to a choice, 31.

Rev. William Meade Dame, D. D.....	13
Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D	17
Rev. A. S. Lloyd	8
Rev. R. H. McKim, D. D	17
Rev. John K. Mason.	3
Rev. J. J. Gravatt.....	1
Rev. B. D. Tucker.....	1
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The President announced that there was no election, and ordered another ballot to be taken.

On motion, Mr. Albert E. Neely, Secretary of the General Wid-ows' and Orphans' Fund, was introduced, and made an address on the work and needs of that society.

The second ballot was then reported by the tellers.

Whole number of votes cast, 62; necessary to a choice, 32.

Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D.....	21
Rev. R. H. McKim, D. D.....	15
Rev. William Meade Dame, D. D.....	14
Rev. A. S. Lloyd	6
Rev. John K. Mason.....	4
Rev. Everard Meade	1
Rev. R. A. Goodwin	1
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There being no election, the President ordered another ballot to be taken.

Substitute offered for Article V of the Constitution.

The following, offered by the Rev. Preston Nash, was adopted:

There being a vacancy on the Board of Trustees of the Virginia Female Institute, I nominate the Rev. H. B. Lee and Rev. J. R. Ellis from this Council, as the two from which the Board of Trustees shall elect to fill said vacancy.

The Rev. J. Y. Downman offered the following as a substitute for Article V of the Constitution:

The election of Bishop shall be made in Council in the following manner:

The Council shall nominate and appoint by ballot some clergyman qualified for that office, and the votes of a majority shall constitute a choice, unless a vote by orders be called for; when, pursuant to Article IV, a majority of each order shall be necessary to a choice.

The Rev. Dr. C. E. Grammer moved that it be referred to a special committee, to report to the next Council.

Carried.

The President appointed the following as the committee:

Rev. J. Y. Downman,	Judge J. C. Lamb,
" L. R. Mason,	Mr. Joseph Bryan,
" B. M. Randolph,	" B. B. Munford.

The following resolutions, offered by Judge J. C. Lamb, were adopted:

1. *Resolved*, That the salary of the Bishop Coadjutor be, and the same is hereby, fixed at the sum of Three Thousand Dollars per annum, to begin at the time of his consecration.

2. *Resolved*, That the rent of a residence for the Bishop Coadjutor, not to exceed Six Hundred Dollars per annum, shall be paid out of the Contingent Fund, as heretofore; such rent to begin at the time that the Bishop Coadjutor is consecrated.

The Rev. E. L. Goodwin then placed in nomination the name of the Rev. John K. Mason, D. D., of St. Andrew's Church, Louisville, Ky.

 Third and Fourth Ballots.

The tellers then reported the third ballot.

Whole number of votes cast, 61; necessary to a choice, 31.

Rev. J. J. Gravatt.....	1
Rev. A. S. Lloyd.....	3
Rev. William Meade Dame, D. D.....	8
Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.....	12
Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D.....	24
Rev. R. H. McKim, D. D.....	13
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There being no election, the President ordered another ballot to be taken.

The tellers reported the fourth ballot.

Whole number of votes cast, 59; necessary to a choice, 30.

Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.....	14
Rev. William Meade Dame, D. D.....	8
Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D.....	28
Rev. R. H. McKim, D. D.....	8
Rev. A. S. Lloyd.....	1
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There being no election, the President ordered another ballot.

On motion of the Rev. S. A. Wallis, it was—

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Council be directed to print the proceedings of this Council along with the proceedings of the last Council, held at Fredericksburg in May last.

The following vote of thanks, offered by the Rev. S. A. Wallis, was adopted:

Resolved, That the cordial thanks of this Council be unanimously tendered to the Rector and Vestry of St. James' Church, the committee of arrangements and the members of other Episcopal Churches in the city, for their careful attention and hospitality to the delegates; to the ladies for their bountiful luncheon so elegantly served in the lecture-room of St. James' Church, and

 Fifth Ballot.

to the pages for their assistance; also to the railroad and steamboat companies for reduced rates to and from Council.

Mr. Joseph Bryan offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, The Treasurer of the Diocese is hereby authorized and directed to pay the following sums to the Secretary and Assistant-Secretary for their services incident to this Council: to the Secretary, \$20; to the Assistant-Secretary, \$10. The Treasurer is also authorized to pay the sexton of this church \$5.

The tellers then reported the fifth ballot.

Whole number of votes cast, 61; necessary to a choice, 31.

Rev. William Meade Dame, D. D.	1
Rev. A. S. Lloyd	2
Rev. John K. Mason, D. D.	16
Rev. R. H. McKim, D. D.	7
Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D.	35
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF ELECTION OF BISHOP COADJUTOR.

The Rev. Robert Atkinson Gibson, D. D., was declared by the President to be the choice of the clergy.

A motion was made to adjourn till 8:30 o'clock, and to vote by orders, which resulted as follows:

Ayes, 57; noes, 64.

The motion was lost.

The Chair appointed Mr. John T. Harris, Jr., and Mr. Joseph Bryan as tellers for the lay vote.

The President then announced that the Rev. R. A. Gibson was before the laity for rejection or election.

The President ordered a ballot to be taken.

Ballot of the Laity and Election of Bishop Coadjutor.

The tellers reported the ballot of the lay vote to be as follows:

Whole number of votes cast, 66; necessary to a choice, 34.

For the Rev. R. A. Gibson; ayes, 61; noes, 5; total, 66.

On motion of the Rev. B. M. Randolph, the following telegram was sent:

RICHMOND, VA., June 30, 1897, 8 P. M.

To Rev. R. A. GIBSON, D. D., 514 E. Third St., Cincinnati, O.:

You are hereby officially notified of your election in Virginia Council as Bishop Coadjutor of this Diocese.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

Adjourned till 8:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, 8:30 P. M.

The Council reassembled at 8:30 P. M., with Bishop Whittle in the chair.

The Bishop announced that the Rev. Robert Atkinson Gibson, having received a majority of the votes cast, is the choice of the Council for Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Virginia.

The Rev. C. E. Grammer moved that a committee of two, one clergyman and one layman, be sent to Cincinnati to inform the Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D., of his election.

The motion was carried, and the Bishop appointed the Rev. L. R. Mason and Mr. P. H. Mayo as such committee.

The testimony of the election of the Rev. Robert Atkinson Gibson, D. D., of Cincinnati, as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Virginia, was then signed by a canonical majority of the clerical and lay delegates of the Council.

On motion, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with, and, after appropriate religious services, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

FRANCIS M. WHITTLE, *President*.

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